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1900 to 1999:

THE LAST 100 YEARS, THE WORST & THE BEST: Millions of people were killed in the World War I and countless families suffered, World War II is something that should never be repeated, Nuclear weapons are extremely dangerous, Industrial Pollution, Large amounts of pollution have, The invention of computers and the internet too, The discovery of penicillin was very important, The Simpsons on Television, International Passenger Jet, Nelson Mandela elected president of South Africa in 1994, Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Soda pop, Soda shop (Malt shop) and more.

HOW WOULD YOU CHANGE THE WORLD?: Harvesting rice in the Himalayas, The tiger, Wind turbines, Humpback whale, Tree seedling ready for planting and more. THE NEXT 100 YEARS: Virtual reality, flying cars, computers, 21st century in the future, Polar ice cap, Robots, Scientists and more.

1900:Dawn of the Century, World Exhibition opens in Paris, The Wonderful Wizard of Oz, The Degenerates, Paris Metro Opens, Lift off for Zeppelin, US victory in first Davis Cup, Wall Painting by Knossos, Radio (since 1864), The Katzenjammer Kids (since 1897), The Yellow Kid (since 1895), The comics (since 1827), The film (since 1895), The second olympics games in Paris France, Italian explorer the Duke of Abruzzi, Oscar Wilde dies, German Zeppelin Airship LZ1 First Lifts Off, Coca-Cola (since 1886), Pepsi (since 1893), The first olympics games since 1896, Manuel Lobato Humanes and SmashGamer16 Company with the mascots were Manuel Lobato Pozo the Mouse and Deirdre Bernal the Cat, their creations were Timmy the Brave Man, Joshua the Fox and more (since 1880s), The Statue of Liberty and The Melting Pot too (18th and 19th centuries), Ellis Island re-opens, Hamburg-America Line Launch in Deutschland, Woman in New Zealand are first in the world to vote (1893 (19th century) and more.

1901: The end of an era, Gottlieb Daimler is an high performance with a new car, Leaders from around the world to celebrate the funeral of Queen Victoria, Students and Workers stage riots in Major Russian cities to protest against the new government regulations, Giuseppe Verdi dies, Anton Chekhov´s Three Sisters premieres in Moscow, Art world discovers new genius was Pablo Picasso, US president William McKinley dies, Ping Pong Craze Hits Home, A peace protocol is drawn and signed up in Peking, China, Booker T. Washington is the first black american to be invited to dine at the White House in Washington, USA, Peter O´Connor sets a new world long-jump record of 7,6 m., French painter Henri de Toulouse-Lautrec dies, US yacht Columbia beats the UK Shamrock in America´s Cup and more.

1902: ¨Modern style¨ makes a splash, A Voyage to the Moon by Méliés, Mount Pelée erupts, The Chinese imperial court returns to the capital of Peking, The UK signs an alliance with Japan to safeguard both countries interests in China and Korea, Russian and Chinese officials sign an agreement to Peking to restore Manchuria, US Congress authorizes President Roosevelt to spend up to 40 million to build a canal across the Panama isthmus, Michigan beats Stanford in the first US College Rose football competition, UK author Conan Doyle publishes a New Holmes mystery was The Hound

of the Baskervilles, Charles Pathé opens a new film studio at Vincennes in Paris, Renault the french car manufacturer wins every prize the first Paris-Vienna motor race, US doctors prove that yellow fever is spread by a species of mosquito, Boer War ends in South Africa, Birth of Theodore Teddy Roosevelt, Peter Rabbit debuts, 1,000 year old of St. Mark´s Cathedral, Edward VII is crowned king in Westminster Abbey, Russian exile Leon Trotsky escapes from Siberia and make his way to London, A spectacular engineering fear, the Aswan Dam is officially opened in Egypt, George Méliés makes a film based on on the coronation of UK King Edward VII, Émile Zola dies, Just So Stories, Enrico Caruso´s first record and more.

1903: Massacre of Jews, The Call of the Wild, The Great Train Robbery is the Wild West Cinema success, Cyclist sweeps to victory was Maurice Garin in Tour de France, Woman wins the Nobel was Marie Curie with Pierre Curie, Baseball battle was Boston beat Pittsburgh 5-3 in the first World Series baseball competition in the US, A major French exhibition of modern art, including paintings by Matisse and Derain opens, Paul Gauguin dies, The first Paris-Madrid road rage is abandoned, An immigrant family, In an attempt to keep undesirables out, the USA imposes a 2 million dollar head tax on all immigrants entering the country, The dutch government forces an end to strike of railway and dock workers by calling in troops, The Serbian King and queen are murdered by rebellious army officers who burst into the Royal Palace in Belgrade, The New Ford Car, At its congress in the UK, the Russian Social Democratic Party splits into Mensheviks and Bolsheviks, Turks massacre 50,000 Bulgarian men, women and children in an attempt to suppress the uprising in Macedonia, Emmeline Pankhurst founds the Women ´s Social and Political Union to campaign for women´s right to vote, Japanese marines land at Mok-Pho in Korea, The world´s first powerboat race, Kit Carson a western film, Camille Pissarro dies, R.E. Foster scores a record test innings of 287 runs-against Australia, Orville and Wilbur Wright create the first powered flight in Flyer at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina and more.

1904: Night raid stuns Russian fleet at Port Arthur, The world visits St. Louis, Charles Rolls joins Henry Royce, Behaviour can be learned! says Ivan Pavlov, Railway crosses Siberia, J.M. Barrie´s Peter Pan, Madame Butterfly is Giacomo Puccini´s opera, Enrico Caruso make his first recording in the USA, Antonin Dvorak dies, Jack White wins the Open Golf Championship in the UK, Russia sends warships to Korea, The British consul Roger Casement publishes an account of Belgian atrocities in the Congo, UK and French governments sign the Entente Cordiale, resolving all their former disagreements, The steerage fare on Ocean liners is cut to 10 dollars in the USA, Helen Keller is graduates with honors in the USA, President Roosevelt wins a four-year as US president, The third Olympic Games in St, Louis, Missouri, USA, Anton Chekhov dies, John Bull´s Other Island, George Mélies´s new movie was Voyage Beyond the Possible, SS Victorian and more.

1905:Bloody Sunday riots in St. Petersburg, Little Nemo debuts, Sherlock Holmes returns, Conservation in the US Great Plains and The American Bison Society, Japan set for victory for Russian, Manchuria and Korea, Potemkin crew stage mutiny, Paris shocked by Les Fauves the wild beasts, The Scarlet Pimpernel, Jules Verne dies, Earthquake in India, The 200,000 strong Russian army is defeated by the Japanese, The Norwegian parliament refuses to recognize the Swedish king, Dutch-born oriental dancer Mata Hari wins, A group of Expressionist artists form in German was Die Brucke (The Bridge), France assured of UK support, US President Roosevelt organizes the signing of a treaty in New Hampshire, USA to the end of the war, In a new manifesto Tsar Nicholas II promises Russians limited civil rights and elected parliament in the Duma, The UK vote campaigners Emmeline Pankhurst and Annie Kenney are sent to prison, May Sutton is the US tennis player to win the Wimbledon ladies singles title, The first Nickelodeon a cinema shows a programme of short films for 5 cents, Albert Einstein proposes the idea that time and motion are relative, Michael Fokine´s The Dying Swan for Anna Pavlova, Franz Lehár´s The Merry Widow and more.

LIFE IN THE NEW CENTURY:All lit up, Cook electric was electric cooker, Tea´s made was the first automatic tea-maker, A pressing business, Vacuum cleaner, Electric arc iron, Washing machine, Double-sided records, Nichrome wire is used as element in electric fires, artificial plastic bakelite, electric food mixer, stainless steel for cutlery and saucepans, heat-resistant glass for cookware, camera, telephone, record phone, gramophone and more.

1906: HMS Dreadnought outclasses all rivals, San Francisco razed to the ground, A lot of hot air in the first international contest in Paris, France, Paul Cézanne dies, Grand Prix is grand success was The world´s first Grand Prix motor race in Le Mans, France, The first animated cartoon was Humorous Phases of Funny Faces, The Liberal Party achieves a landslide victory in the UK general election, The Japanese government announces its intention to double the size of a navy, At the Spanish seaport of Algeciras, a conference decides to give Spain and France joint control over Morocco, The first Duma, an elected parliament that was formed to advise the tsar and his ministers meets in St. Petersburg, Russia, Pierre Curtie dies, Cunard´s Lusitania, US dancer Isadora Duncan is banned from performing in Germany, England beats France 35-8 in the first international rugby

contest, The Olympic Games are held in Athens, Greece, Henrik Ibsen dies, Major Dreyfus is declared innocent of treason by the French government after an 11-year fight to clear his name, The Duma dissolved by the Russian government meets in Finland and calls on Russians to refuse to pay their taxes, Following the resignation of Cuba´s president, the USA imposes a provisional government until order is restored, The UK grants self-government to the Transvaal and Orange River Colonies in southern Africa, UK tennis ace H.L. Doherty wins the Wimbledon men's singles, Film companies worldwide set up studios in New York and establishing it as the undisputed US film centre, George Bernard Shaw´s The Doctor´s Dilemma, Gabel´s Automatic Entertainer is the world´s first jukebox, Women over the age of 24 gain the vote in Finland and more.

TOWARDS A NEW LIFE: Across the Atlantic Ocean, Arrival at Ellis Island, A new life was Charlie Chaplin, The Melting pot, Waiting to be let in the Great Hall, The Statue of Liberty, Open wide!, Ticket to ride and more.

1907: Indians demand rights of South Africa lawyer Mohandas Gandhi, Animals on Display in the Zoo of Hamburg, Pablo Picasso´s Les Demoiselles d´Avignon, Special place for motor race in Brooklands, British boys taught outdoor skills, Vertical takeoff a reality at last is French bicycle-maker Paul Cornu creates his helicopter, Mutt and Jeff debuts, A huge earthquake in Kingston, Jamaica, At a lavish ceremony Mohammad Ali Mirza is crowned Shah of Persia in the Royal Palace of Teheran, Plans to construct a tunnel under the English Channel, in Russia Tsar Nicholas II dissolves the second Duma or parliament accusing some deputies of treason, Riots start in the Korean capital of Seoul after the Japanese, Germany, Austria and Italy renew the Triple Alliance for another six years, French gunships stage a two-day bombardment on Casablanca, Morocco following anti-European hostilities, The USA´s Great White Fleet of 16 battleships leaves on a world tour to show off US strength, UK music halls fall quiet as artists strike for better pay, The Playboy of the Western World, The world first model-aircraft competition, The world´s first 24-hour motor race, The De Forest Radio Telephone Co creates a radio receiver, Auguste and Henri Lumiére developing color photography, Zeigfeld Follies, Edvard Grieg dies, The Count of Monte Cristo (movie), Rudyard Kipling wins the Nobel Prize, USS Virginia and Connecticut, The Lusitania breaks the record, The world´s first circus was The Ringling Brothers, More than one million immigrants enter United States, The first clues are found that Tutankhamun´s tomb exists, More than one million immigrants enter United States, Western Publishing is launched and more.

1908: Gold medallist disqualified was Dorado Pietri, New motor car for the masses was Model T Ford, Fantasy written for children was Kenneth Grahamme´s The Wind in the Willows, Emperor Pu Yi ascends Chinese throne, Earthquake in Italy, Toonerville Folks debuts, King Carlos I of Portugal and his heir are assassinated in Lisbon and the wake of a failed revolution, Emmeline Pankhurst leading campaigner in the UK suffrage movement, The Franco-British exhibition opens in London, UK with the White City stadium as it´s centerpiece, 200,000 people gather in Hyde Park, London, UK, in support of the women´s suffrage movement, Gustav Mahler is the Austrian composer makes his US debut in New York, The US film industry heads west, attracted by cheap labour and the climate and scenery of southern California, Claude Monet destroys many of his paintings, Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov noted for Scheherazade dies, The UK Cunard liner the Mauretania, The first international football contest, A revolt staged by Young Turk forces Sultan Abdul Hamid II and restore Turkey´s constitution, The Belgian parliament votes to take cover control of the Belgian Congo from it´s king, Leopold II, Austria-Hungary annexes the Balkan states, Republican candidate William Howard Taft is elected 27th president of the USA defeating William Bryan, Joel Chandler Harris creator of Uncle Remus and Brer Rabbit dies, W.G. Grace plays his final first-class game, Jack Johnson the texan boxer becomes the first black American to win the world heavyweight boxing championship, Léon Gaunt´s Cité Elgé, advertised as the world´s largest film studio is completed in Paris, France, Hermann Minkowski defines time as the fourth dimension, Orville Wright sets a new flight record, Ernest Rutherford wins the nobel prize and more.

THE GREAT OCEAN LINERS:Blue Riband, The White Star Shipping Line´s flag, Battling for supremacy, Luxury living, Cunard´s leady lady, Swimming at sea, The loss of the Titanic, The super-liner, Love afloat and more.

1909: News is broadcast to cinema audiences where Émile and Charles Pathé have now started to film the news entitled Pathé Faits Divers is the newsreel like the newspapers, Ballets Russes take Paris by storm was Prince Igor and Les Sylphides, Mary Pickford, Robert Peary´s North Pole conquest confirmed, Building in Steel, Hand-picked by Roosevelt, William Howard Taft is inaugurated 27th president of the USA, The Great Powers urge Serbia to cease waging war with Austria-Hungary, Young Turks overthrow the sultan of Turkey and replace him with his brother, UK chancellor David Lloyd George raises taxes, The shah of Persia Mohammad Ali is deposed in favour of his 12-year-old brother, Ahmed Mirza, Aristide Briand takes over the office of France, The People´s Budget is defeated in the House of Lords, The Union of South Africa under Louis Botha is proclaimed independent by royal declaration in the UK, The Futurist Manifesto, J.M. Synge dies, Keats and Shelley´s memorial, King Edward VII opens the Museum, UK astronomers report that they might have sighted a ninth new planet, Paul Ehrlich

produces the world´s first successful anti-syphilis drug in Germany, At 41, Arthur Gore is the oldest man to win the singles title at Wimbledon, The US Simplified Spelling Board publishes a dictionary, Sergei Rachmaninov premieres his third piano concerto in New York, USA, Frank Lloyd Wright completes the acclaimed Robie House in Chicago, USA, Louis Blériot arrives in Dover, UK, German psychologists Sigmund Freud and Carl Jung tour the USA, Italian Guglielmo Marconi shares the Nobel Prize for Physics with K.F. Braun from Germany and more.

1910: Mark Twains dies, Black rights group founded with The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), Shooting star in near miss is Halley´s Comet, South Africa unites, The Family Upstairs and Krazy Kat are all debuts, It Takes Two to Tango, Radio used to catch criminal is Dr. Hawley Harvey Chippen, Portugal overthrows it´s king, Baroness de Laroche the French aristocrat and the first woman, Greece led by Cretan-Born Eleutherios Venizélos clashes with Turkey over control of Crete, The Chinese army occupies Lhasa, Tibet, forcing the Tibetan spiritual leader, the Dalai Lama to flee Tibet for India, Old California the first film, A US banker pays 103,000 pounds for a Franz Hal painting, The First Frankenstein Film starring Charles Ogle, Igor Stravinsky´s The Firebird, Terra Nova the ship, Florence Nightingale dies, Following it´s victory over Russia in Manchuria, Japan formally annexes Korea, Louis Botha loses his seat in South Africa, Dr. Hawley Crippen brought back to the UK from Canada, Former US heavyweight boxing champion Jack Johnson takes the title from current holder Jim Jeffries, Henri Rousseau dies, Picasso, Matisse and Gauguin are shown in the UK, Leo Tolstoy dies, M. Tableau makes the first flight across the Pyrenees mountain range, Marie Curie is the Nobel Prize winner for the first time and more.

1911: Porfirio Díaz surrenders, The Secret Garden, Inca City discovered, Mona Lisa is missing and stolen, Imperial regime abolished in China was Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, As trouble brews in Mexico, President Taft sends 30,000 US troops to guard the border territory, The UK announces plans to build five more Dreadnought battleships for the Royal Navy in response to German naval expansion, France send troops to protect Europeans in both Casablanca and Fez, US troops intervene in the Mexican civil war, crossing the Rio Grande and fighting the rebel forces, Germany sends the gunboat Panther to Morocco, Peter Stolypin the hard-line Russian prime minister, Pu Yi, the five-year-old emperor of China surrenders his power and agrees to grant a constitution, The crisis at Agadir in North Africa ends as Germany accepts French control in Morocco, Richard Strauss´s Der Rosenkavalier, A Tale of Two Cities (film), Gustav Mahler dies, The first Indianapolis 500 road race, The White Star shipping line, The first ocean liner have swimming pool is SS Olympic, Airmail service arrives at Windsor, The first Channel crossing, Guillaume Apollinaire is arrested for stealing the Mona Lisa, The Blue Rider a group of artists led by Kandinsky and Franz Marc has it`s first show, Alexander´s Ragtime Band, Roald Amundsen becomes the first man reach the South Pole, Olympic is World´s largest and longest ship and more. THE RACE TO THE SOUTH POLE:Amundsen sails south, The route to the Pole, A team of experts, Winter at Framheim, Scientific exploration, Scott´s expedition, First to the Pole, A tragic failure and more.

1912: Albert Berry is leaping into the unknown, Sarah Bernhardt the singer in screen breakthrough was La Dame aux Camellias, ¨Unsinkable¨ SS Titanic ship in iceberg disaster, Royal Pavlova, Keystone Kops and Keystone Pictures are hitting the funny bone, Double Gold was the US athlete Jim Thorpe was the star in Olympic Games in Stockholm, Sweden, Paramount Pictures and Universal Pictures are both launches, China is officially declared a republic with Yuan Shi-Kai as it´s leader, In the House of Commons the UK government passes a bill to grant Home Rule to Ireland, Italy boards the entrance to the Turkish Dardanelles and occupies the Greek Island of Rhodes, The first issue of the Bolshevik newspaper Pravda meaning truth published in Russia, In Ireland 471,414 Protestants sign a ¨solemn covenant¨ pledging themselves to resist the imposition of Irish Home Rule, The Balkan league against Turkey, Captain Scott and his team are finally reach the South Pole, England beats Australia 4-1, Nijinsky´s New Ballet was Prelude á Aprs Midi d´un Faune, The Expressionist Blue Rider Group, Fruit Dish and Glass, Oliver Twist the first UK feature film, The first ice show Flirting at St. Moritz, It´s a Long Way to Tipperary, Gaston Odin the french doctor claims that he has isolated, Alfred Wegener outlines his theory on how today´s continents have formed, Piltdown Man and more.

VOTES FOR WOMEN: WSPU (The Women´s Social and Political Union), Quite at ease, Arrested! on November 18th 1910, Military precision, Spreading the word, Behind bars, Playing cat and mouse, Suffrage in the States, Colors of Suffrage, Women´s suffrage in Asia and more.

1913: The Grand Central is grand opening in New York City, Igor Stravinsky´s The Rite of Spring, Martyr at the Derby, Ford´s revolutionary assembly line rolls, Blast links two oceans were the Atlantic and Pacific oceans in Central America, In China, 300 Chinese troops are killed in a single night during a raid across the border by Tibetans, In Mexico, right-wing army commander Victoriano Huerta seizes power from President Madéro and has him killed, A peace treaty is signed in London, UK, bringing an end to the first Balkwan War between Turkey and United States, The Second Balkwan War begins as Bulgaria, The Irish Home Ride Rule Bill is passed by the UK parliament, Yuan Shi-Kai

elected president of the Chinese Republic last month, Mexican rebels led by Pancho Villa prepare to move on Mexico City and besiege right-wing President Huerta, US athlete Jim Thorpe is stripped of his Olympic medals for once competing as a professional, The first international exhibition of modern art featuring Van Gogh and Cézanne opens in New York, USA., US Comic actor Roscoe ¨Farry¨ Arbuckle makes his film debut in the two of the new Keystone comedies, Woolworth Building, Gaumont Picture Palace reopens in Paris, France, Charlie Chaplin debuts in Making a Living, The first crossword puzzle is printed in The New York World weekend supplement in the USA, The Mona Lisa is recovered in Florence, Italy, Colonel Heeza Liar, German inventor Rudolf Diesel dies at the age of 55, The world first oil-driven battleship HMS Queen Elizabeth is launched on in Portsmouth, UK, German Imperator Rivals British Liners and more.

1914: Austrian Archduke Franz Ferdinand assassinated, War breaks out in Europe with Kitchener, Russians routed on Eastern front, Paris saved from German attack, Truce halts war for Christmas, Gertie the Dinosaur, The Teenie Weenies, Charlie Chaplin the Tramp, Northern Ireland appears on the brink of civil war as Protestants violently resist Home Rule, The editor of Le Figaro is shot dead by the French finance, A 3,000-strong force of US marines intervenes in the Mexican civil war and seizes the port of Vera Cruz, The assassination of Archduke Franz Ferdinand leads to growing tension between Austria and Serbia, Austria delivers an ultimatum to Serbia containing such humiliating demands that it makes war almost inevitable, The Russian Government changes the name of their capital city to Petrograd, In the ¨Race of the Sea¨ Germany and and the Allies wage battles through northern France in an attempt to outflank each other, Stalemate is reached - a line of war trenches now stretches from the English Channel to the border of Switzerland, The Word, The Flesh and The Devil is the world´s first feature film in color, Seven US newspapers including the New York Times issue newspaper color supplements for the first time, The bad language in Irish playwright George Bernard Shaw´s Pygmalion causes much controversy, Wyndham Lewis publishes Blast the manifesto of the futurist Vorticist art movement, Sam Lucas becomes the first black actor to star in a US feature film was Uncle Tom´s Cabin, Auguste Macke and Henri Alain-Fournier are both killed in battle, the Raggedy Ann Doll, Dubliners is the new books by James Joyce, The US Ford Motor Co introduces the five dollar working day for all it´s employees, UK explorer Campbell Beasley discovers the remains of three Inca cities hidden in the jungles of Peru, Ernest Shackleton is explores to Antarctica, Bismarck the world´s largest ship, The Panama Canal joining the North Atlantic and South Pacific Oceans, Sikorsky experiments with the design of multi-engined heavy bomber, a trench spade, Immigration Declines at the Outbreak of World War I, Cunard begins a weekly Liverpool - New York Service, Allies stop the German Advance at Marne and more.

TRENCH WALFARE: The Western Front, Look Out was German Artillery Observation Instrument, Poison gas, Communications, Weaponry, German club, Waiting for action and more.

1915:Outrage at epic movie premiere was The Birth of a Nation, SS Lusitania sunk by a German submarine, Farmer AlFalfa debuts, Boob McNutt, Freckles and his Friends, Nurse Edith Cavell on spy charge, Women´s work boosts war effort, Allies retreat from Gallipoli shore, German Zeppelin airships begin a bombing campaign against the UK by attacking ports on the east coast, Germany begins submarine warfare against the UK to try and frighten away neutral shipping and destroy the UK´s economy, Allied forces land on the Gallipoli Peninsula in Turkey in an attempt to force an entrance through to the Black Sea, Italy leaves the Triple Alliance with Germany and Austria and enters the war on the side of the allies, The autumn offensive opens on the Western Front with French troops under the command of General Joffré, Tsar Nicholas II takes control of the army following the fall of the key Russian stronghold at Bresl-Livotsk, Bulgaria enters the war on the side of Germany and Austria, Sir John French is replaced as commander-in-chief of the UK forces by Sir Douglas Haig, In Berlin, it is decided to abandon plans to stage next year´s Olympic Games in Germany, French actress Sarah Bernhardt has her right leg amputated following a fall during a performance of La Tosca, Jess Willard the US ¨Great White Hope¨ wins the world heavyweight boxing title, Rupert Brooke dies, The first tourist car is admitted into Yellowstone National Park in northwestern Wyoming, USA, US baseball team the Boston Red Sox purchase Babe Ruth from the Baltimore Orioles, William G. Grace dies, The 39 Steps is published by John Buchan, Germany carry out the first-ever gas attack in warfare against Russian troops at Bolimov on the Eastern Front, The first anti-chlorine gas masks are issued to UK troops in the second Battle of Ypres, France, The first 3-D films developed by E.S. Porter and W.E. Wadell are shown in New York City, USA, UK ships begin to tow a torpedo-shaped device from their bows in order to disarm mines, An AB-2 flying boat of the US navy is the first plane to be launched by catapult from a ship, As the production line continues to roll, the US Ford Motor Co. produces it´s one-millionth motor car, The General theory of relativity published by German-born physicist Albert Einstein causes controversy, Raggedy Ann ann aNDY and more.

1916: Assault on French at the fort of Verdun, US pursues Mexican rebel Pancho Villa and his bandits, Women at War, Rebels stage Easter Rising in Dublin, Sea battle at

Jutland, Carnage as Somme campaign opens, Nurses at the front, Tanks set to revolutionize war, Gregory Rasputin the Mad Monk was mudered in Russia, Austro-Hungarian forces attack Montenegro and quickly overrun the small Balkan country, The last Allied troops leave the Gallipoli Peninsula in Turkey after they fail in their attempt to take it over, For the fifth time, the Italian army tries to break through the Austro-Hungarian lines at the Isonzo River, The first president of the Chinese Republic was Yuan Shi-Kai dies, President Wilson threatens to break US diplomatic relations with Germany if it continues submarine warfare, UK General Sir John Maxwell orders the execution of the rebels involved in the Easter Rising, Russian armies commanded by General Alexei Brusilov, UK war minister Lord Kitchener is killed when HMS Hampshire is sunk by a German mine off the Orkney Islands, Former UK diplomat Roger Casement is executed for trying to smuggle arms to Irish rebels, Kaiser Wilhelm II appoints Paul von Hindenburg victor of the Battle of Tannenburg, Romania joins the Allies and invades Austria-Hungary, The Owen-Keating Labour Law to diminish the appalling conditions of child labour is passed in the USA, On the Western Front the Battle of the Somme ends, Franz Josef dies, David Lloyd George becomes UK prime minister, Continuing stalemate in the trenches on the Western Front makes for the third and bleakest Christmas of the war, Henry James dies, Dada, Krazy Kat and Ignatz Mouse Discuss the Letter G is a new cartoon series, Douglas Fairbanks debuts in The Habit of Happiness, The International Olympic Committee cancels the Olympic Games until the war is over, The Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post, The Vampires´s final episode, Odilon Redon dies, Chu Chin Chow, Picasso begins designing scenery for Parade and a new ballet for Diaghilev´s Ballets Russes, D.W. Griffith´s Intolerance with Lillian Gish, Jack London dies, Waterlilies, Carl Gustav is awarded, The Planets orchestral suite, The first UK fighter squadron goes into operation in St. Otmer, northern France, Air-to-ground Radio is first demonstrated by a UK military pilot to Lord Kitchener, The Austrian War Dog Institute begins to train dogs, The first major airlift of supplies is conducted by UK pilots to a besieged garrison at Kut al-Imara, Iraq, UK Clocks Advance, US timber magnate William Boeing tests his newly designed airplane in Washington, DC, The US Bell Telephone Co. demonstrates an open-air public address system on Staten Island, Coca-Cola introduces a contoured bottle, German U-Boat UC7 becomes the first submarine, Ford is launching of a touring car, False eyelashes are worn for the first time by US actress Seena Owen in D.W. Griffith´s Intolerance, Hiram Mixam dies, Albert Michelson determines that the earth has a molten core, One million die after four-month somme offensive and more.

1917: US counters submarine threat, Messenger Pigeons, US ¨doughboys¨ land in France, Allies capture Passchendaele in Belgium, Jews promised new homeland in Palestine, The Gumps, Regular Fellers, Signor Bonaventura, TBO, El Apostol the world´s first full-length cartoon movie, As discontent grows among the Russian peoples, Tsar Nicholas II abdicates, The musical Oh Boy! premieres, Hahn and Meitner discover the element proactium, Bolshevik leader Lenin returns from Exile in Switzerland to Russia, traveling with German assistance, New Orleans Group the Original Dixieland Jazz Band make the first jazz recording, The first international airmail service begins operating between Italy and Albania, US president Woodrow Wilson declares war on Germany in order to save democracy, The Butcher Boy is filmed in the USA with Buster Keaton the new actor, German planes bombs London, UK, G. Apollinaire describes Picasso´s costumes for the ballet Parade as ¨Surrealist, AT&T introduces the world´s first telex service for United Press, Lenin flees Russia after a Bolshevik uprising is crushed by the new Russian Government led by Alexander Kerensky, Italian troops are heavily defeated by Germany and Austro-Hungarian troops at Caporetto in northeastern Italy, Having returned to Russia in October, Vladimir Ilyich Lenin leads a Bolshevik coup and seizes power from Kerensky, The fall of Jerusalem in Palestine, A group of Dutch artists led by Piet Mondrian get together to publish De Stijl, Mata Hari´s death, Edwin Dunning is the first pilot on the plane to the moving ship HMS Furious, Augustine Rodin´s death, The Battle of Cambria, Charles Glover Barkla wins the Nobel Prize for Physics for his on x-rays, Russian Women vote as part of Communist Reforms, Literacy Test ensures that all immigrants can read and write, US troops enter the war on the side of the allies and more.

THE RUSSIAN REVOLUTION: On the boil, The royal family where Tsar Nicholas II lived in a great luxury in Petrograd and ruled over a vast empire, The first revolution, Russia at war, The power of Rasputin, The Bolshevik revolution was The Aurora fires from the river Neva, Military organizer shows Hammer and Sickle, The New Order is Peace, Bread and Land, Power for the people, The Man behind the revolution and more.

1918: President Woodrow Wilson outlines terms for peace, Germans attack Western Front, Playing Soldiers, The Red Baron is shot down in flames, Long-range weapon Big Bertha bombs Paris,Tsar Nicholas II murdered, Decisive conflict at Amiens, Arabs triumph was Lawrence of Arabia, We Are Making a New World is the War Art, Peace in Europe as war ends, Deaths count the real cost of war, Columbia Pictures launches, Ripley´s Believe It or Not!, Koko the Clown debuts, Toots and Casper, The Bungle Family, Gasoline Alley, Captain Stubbs and Tippie, The Bolsheviks establish the Red Army in Russia to defend the revolution, Russia signs the peace treaty of Brest-Litovsk with

Germany, Austria and Hungry leaves World War I, Following the terms of the peace treaty Germany and Turkey gain large regions of Western and Southern Russia, The Russian Government moves it´s capital city from Petrograd to Moscow, The Allies agree that US troops will flight as a single army under the command of US General Pershing, Romania signs a peace treaty wit Germany and Austria-Hungary, Austro-Hungarian forces make a further attack on Italian lines in northeastern Italy, Civil War rages in Russia as the Red Army struggles against opposing White Russians, Fighting under one supreme command, the Allies halt the German advance in the second Battle of Marne, General Foch leads the Allies in a major offensive on the Western Front, Allied forces capture the Hindenburg line, Spanish influenza sweeps through Europe, causing millions of deaths despite efforts made by organizations like the Red Cross, Italian forces achieve a major victory against Austro-Hungarian forces, In the shadow of defeat and with many of it´s allies already withdrawn from the conflict, Germany appeals for an armistice, The Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes is created out of former Austrian and independent nations, A major new exhibition of paintings by Matisse and Picasso opens in Paris, France, Gustav Klimt dies, George Gershwin´s new song Swance is first time in New York, USA, Claude Debussy dies, In Germany, engineers begin the construction of the first all-metal aeroplane, Trials for the new Browning light machine gun are conducted, Henry Ford turns out the first mass-produced tractors at the rate of 80 per day, Charlie Chaplin´s A Dog´s Life, Elmo Lincoln stars in Tarzan of the Apes, Vera Kholodnaya the queen of the Russian screen stars in two films that premiere in Moscow, D.W. Griffith leads the US film industry´s effort to help the war by selling bonds, The UK sets up the Royal Air Force (RAF) to fight Germany, The first battle fought by opposing tanks takes place at Villers Brétonneaux in France, The first airmail service between Washington and New York in USA is established, A playing speed for records of 78 revolutions per minute is becoming standardized, Baseball is declared and the US ¨Work or Fight¨ law, Mae West´s Broadway in Sometime introduces the shimmy dance, Gerard Manley Hopkins a celebrated UK poet and Jesuit priest is published, Igor Stravinsky´s A Soldier Tale, Henry Ford launches the first Eagle Boat, Par avion (by air) airmail stickers, The German army uses the 13-mm T-Gewehr 18 anti-tank weapon, The world´s largest reflecting telescope housed at Mount Wilson, California, USA begins to operate, The Romance of Tarzan, Wilfred Owen is killed, Guillaume Apollinaire dies, Carmen (movie) with Pola Negri is released, The world´s first propaganda broadcast incites German civilians to remove their government, Two German scientists win Nobel Prizes, Max Planck for physics and Fritz Haber for chemistry, End of the Great War, allies victorious and more.

1919:Red Rosa is murdered, Bauhaus reforms art education was Building of Bauhaus, Crowds massacred in Amritsar´s Golden Temple, United Artists launches, Peace agreement at Versailles, Tides turns for Red Army in Russian civil war, Felix the Cat debuts and created by Pat Sullivan in the first cartoon was Feline Follies with Felix the Cat and Kitty, Thimble Theatre, Barney Google and Snuffy Smith, Harold Teen, Pip, Squeak and Wilfred, The Sinn Féin MPs elected to the UK parliament meet at an unofficial Irish parliament in Dublin, The anti-war film J´accuse by French director Abel Gance premieres in Paris, France, Jazz arrives in Europe when the Original Dixieland Jazz Band makes it´s debut in London, UK, At the French peace conference in Versailles, 27 nations agree to US president Wilson´s proposal for a League of Nations, Benito Mussolini founds a new political party was the ¨Fascia d´Italiani di Combattimento¨ in Italy, US actress Lillian Gish stars in True Heart Susie, The first photomontage begins, UK scientist Ernest Rutherford is the first to split the atom, the smallest particle, UK scientists watching the eclipse of the sun confirm Einstein´s theory of relativity, John Alcock and Arthur Brown are the first pilots to fly nonstop across the Atlantic, General Jan Smuts becomes the new prime minister of South Africa, Jack Dempsey beats Jess Willard in three rounds, The first intercontinental airline service begins regular flights between Europe and North Africa, Roland Rohlfs sets a flight altitude in a Crutiss Wasp, French tennis player Suzanne Lenglen wins the ladies singles at the first postwar Wimbledon, UK, The US Senate rejects the Versailles peace treaty, Nancy Astor is the first female MP to sit in the House of Commons in London, UK, Lloyd George the prime minister is puts forward a proposal to divide Ireland into two states, The world´s first film school, The State School of Cinematography opens in Moscow, Russia, Auguste Renoir dies, Trailer caravans make their first appearance at the annual motor show at Olympia in London, UK, Jules Bordet the Belgian doctor wins the Nobel Prize for Medicine for his work on immunology and more.

1920: Yankees scoop baseball ¨Babe Ruth¨ for 125,000 dollars is the New York Yankees, Alcohol banned in the United States was William Billy Sunday, Dadaists Shock Art World, Marcus Garvey calls for black rights, Election results heard on radio was Republican W.G. Harding won the presidential election, Dublin suffers Bloody Sunday, Rupert Bear debuts, The Potts, Winnie Winkle, Silent Sam (Adams), The newly formed League of Nations consisting of 29 countries holds it´s first meeting in Paris, France, Amadeo Modigliani dies, The Kappa putsch a coup to seize Berlin, Germany collapses as conspirators fail to secure the support of the army, A screen adaptation of Robert Louis Stevenson´s novel Treasure Island is release in Hollywood, USA, The first color cartoon

film was The Debut of Thomas Kat in Two-Strip Technicolor, uses paintings on transparent celluloid, The newly formed extremist National Socialist (Nazi) Party in Germany adopts the Swastika as it´s symbol, Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks are marry in Los Angeles, USA, Robert Peary the first person to reach the North Pole, dies at the age of 64, The Treaty of Trianon which reduces the size of Hungary and ends the Austro-Hungarian empire, is signed, Nellie Melba broadcast a concert of songs was Home Sweet Home, KLM, After more than 50 years of campaigning, US women gain the vote as Congress passes the 19th amendment to the constitution, 1920 Antwerp Olympic Games due to World War II, The Southern California Telephone Co. sets up a public radio telephone service in the USA, Nationalist Mohandas Gandhi launches a peaceful non-cooperation movement in India against the UK, Margaret Gorman is crowned the first Miss America beauty queen in Atlantic City, USA, The ministry of transport in the UK instructs motorists to raise their right arm to indicate stopping, Civil war ends in Russia as the Red Army led by Leon Trotsky achieves victory for the communist Bolsheviks, Mamie Smith is the first black American singer to make a record, Crazy Blues, which is a smash hit, The UK parliament passes an act to set up separate parliaments in Northern and Southern Ireland, UK author Agatha Christie introduces detective Hercule Poirot in The Mysterious Affair at Styles, Retired US army officer John T. Thompson patents his sub-machine the Tommy Gun, Cocktails are Popular with Fashionable Young Crowds, End of Civil War, Bolsheviks victorious, Prohibition comes into force in USA and more.

1921:Charlie Chaplin the New Child and his first full-length film was The Kid, Communist party forms in China, Rudolph Valentino in The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse, Fight attracts bumper crowds in a specially built stadium in New Jersey where Jack Dempsey defeats Georges Carpenter, Nicola Sacco and Bartolomeo Vanzetti - not guilty?, Famine in Russia, Tillie the Toller, Our Boarding House, Pulgarcito, Ginger Meggs, Laugh-o-Grams by Walt Disney, Wartime Allies fix German war debts at 132 million gold marks, to be paid over 42 years, This Side of Paradise by US writer F. Scott Fitzgerald continues to sell strongly, Marie Stopes opens the first birth control clinic in the UK, Greece defies the League of Nations and declares war on Turkey, launching an offensive into Anatolia, The world´s first radio sports commentary is made for a boxing match, ¨Coco¨ Chanel launches her Chanel No. 5 perfume, Bolsheviks under Trotsky put down a mutiny of Russian sailors at Kronstadt as the Russian economy collapses, Amid concerns over morality a 10 dollar fine for women who wear short skirts is issued in Chicago, USA, Ford mass-produces a record 4,072 cars in one day, UK king George V opens the new parliament in Belfast, Northern Ireland: James Craig is prime minister, The first international athletics meeting for women, The R-38, Muslim Berbers under Abdel Krim attack and destroy the Spanish army at Annual in northern Morocco, In Italy 50,000 mourners artend the funeral of opera singer Enrico Caruso dies, F. Banting and C. Best extract insulin from the pancreas, which they hope can be used to cure diabetes, Indians in Bombay burn clothing on a massive bonfire to campaign against the import of foreign cloth, Fans mob Charlie Chaplin as he arrives in London, UK on his first visit to his native country in nine years, Benito Mussolini declares himself ¨Il Duce¨, or leader of the National Facist Party, Isadora Duncan the dancer opens a dance school in Moscow, Russia and dances for the communist nation, The British Legion holds a memorial day for those who died in WWI, paper poppies are sold, The Catholic countries of Southern Ireland become the Irish Free State: Northern Ireland remains in the UK, A male nude wrestling scene in UK novelist D.H. Lawrence´s Women in Love causes controversy, United States restricts the numbers of immigrants and more.

1922:Dracula is the Vampire movie by Fredrich Murnau, Isadora Duncan is banned, Barrier broken was Johnny Weissmuller from Chicago, USA, Michael Collins shot dead, Facists march on Rome, Reuters news hits the airwaves, Smitty, Out Our Way, Helpful Henry, Fritzi Ritz, Smitty, The Wizard (DC Thomson), Bonzo the Dog, Bulletje en Boonestaak, In Russia, an estimated 33 million people face starvation as famine spreads through the Volga, The Reader´s Digest, In Canada, Leonard Thompson is the first diabetic to be treated with insulin, Indian nationalist Mohandas Gandhi is sentenced to six years imprisionment following anti-UK demonstrations, Ulysses by James Joyce, Marie Curie co-discoverer of radium is elected to the Académie des Sciences in Paris, In the Irish Free State, republicans seize Kilmainham jail in Dublin in a new wave of anti-treaty insurrection, Robin Hood with Douglas Fairbanks, UK mountaineers climb to within 975m (3,200 ft) of the top of Everest, the world´s highest mountain, Vanity Fair the US magazine coins the term flapper to describe brazen young women in society, US scientists claim that the sun produces a vitamin ¨D¨ in the body, which prevents the disease rickets, Turkey launches an offensive against Greece at the Battle of Afyon, Walter Hagen is the first US golfer to win the British Open at Sandwich, UK, Alexander Graham Bell dies, The German mark goes into free fall, with it´s value dropping from 162 to 7,000 against the US dollar, The first 3-D feature film was The Power of Love premieres, US pilot James Doolittle makes the first coast-to-coast flight, taking less than 24 hours, After a 30-year search, UK archaeologists uncover the tomb of Tutankhamun near Luxor, Egypt, Marie Lloyd dies, George Cadbury dies, Russia is officially renamed the Union of the Soviet Socialist Republics (USSR) was Soviet Union, Huge acclaim

greets US explorer Robert Flaherty´s Nanook of the North the first film documentary, Niels Bohr the danish physicist is awarded to the Nobel Prize, The steps leading down to the tomb are discovered, The opening to the antechamber is unblocked, The Tomb of Tutankhamun, Wide-Legged ¨Oxford Bags¨ are all the rage for men, The steps leading down to the tomb are discovered, The opening to the Antechamber is unblocked and more.

THE TOMB OF TUTANKHAMUN: The Valley of the Kings, Painstalking work where Carter and his small team of archaeologists, The lordly patron is Lord Carnavon had been fascinated by Egypt, Clearing out, The face of Tutankhamun, The boy king, The death curse, A gigantic game of spillikins, Clearing out is moved to the Cairo Museum and more.

1923: Bessie Smith makes her first recording Downhearted Blues in New York, Suzanne Lenglen makes it five in a row, Earthquake razes Tokyo, Model Railway was Hornby train set, Republic of Turkey formed was General Mustafa Kemal, The German Mark collapses, Hitler fails with beer-hall putsch, Warner Bros. and The Walt Disney Company are both launching, Alice´s Comedies, Fatty Finn, Moon Mullins, Skippy (comic strip), The salt tax is restored in India, a move that will affect many families already living in an impoverished state, French designer ¨Coco¨ Chanel says even sweaters can be chic, Prince Albert, Duke of York marries Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, Time Magazine, Lord Carnarvon dies from an insect bite at the Tutankhamun, More than 600,000 attend the opening of the Yankee Stadium in New York, USA, The Ku Klux Klan the racist US secret society founded after the civil war, claims that it now has one million members, R. Leonard and A. Lagache win the first 24-hour Le Mans motor race, E.P Hubble demonstrates that there are other star systems outside the Milky Way, A ceremony marks the creation of the USSR, Jack Dempsey retains the world heavyweight title in a dramatic 15-round hour, Aeroflot, After a bloodless coup, Miguel Primo de Rivera assumes control in Spain and suspends the Spanish Parliament, US film actor Lon Chaney as Quasimodo in The Hunchback of Notre Dame, A planetarium for viewing the solar system opens at the Deutsche Museum in Munich, Germany, The UK agrees to make the African country of Southern Rhodesia a self-governing UK colony, Running Wild opens in New York it´s catchy song, Charleston, Further treasures from the tomb of Tutankhamun in Egypt are found in the burial chamber was Sarcophagus, In Mexico Adolfo de la Huerta leads an unsuccessful revolt against the government, US film producer Cecil B. De Mille finishes his biblical epic The Ten Commandments, Vladimir Zworykin introduces his iconoscope, a device to transmit pictures, Benito Mussolini gives Women the vote in Italy and more.

1924:Vladimir Ilyich Ulyanov dies, Chamonix 1924 Olympics is the first Winter Olympics, Table Football, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer launches, In cold blood in USA was Nathan Leopold and Richard Loeb, Rin Tin Tin the new canine star on the screen, Little Orphan Annie, Wash Tubbs, Il Giornalino, Boots and Her Buddies, Bibi Fricotin, Caspar Milquetoast, The first UK Labour government comes to power with Ramsay, Greta Garbo makes her film debut, Countdown pips precede the broadcast of a new regular time signal by the BBC in the UK, Howard Carter lifts the lid on Tutankhamun´s stone coffin and revealing a golden effigy, Imperial Airways, Adolf Hitler is jailed and behind bars, E. Nesbit dies, The first book of crossword puzzles, George Mallory dies in attempt to climbed Mount Everest because it is there, Sales soar of A Passage to India by UK author E.M. Forster, a book that explores Anglo-Indian tensions, The UK & Australia are the first countries to communicate by wireless as opposed to the telegraph, France and Belgium agree to withdraw their troops from the Ruhr within a year as Germany promises to pay off war debts, Paavo Nurmi the ¨Flying Finn¨ wins a record five gold medals at the eight Olympic Games in Paris, L. Smith and E. Nelson complete the first round-the-world flight, starting and finishing in Seattle, Mohandas Gandhi goes on hunger strike in protest against the rioting between Muslims and Hindus, The League of Nations adopts the Geneva Protocol for settling international disputes peacefully rather than by war, Deadpan US comedian Buster Keaton scores an immediate hit with his latest film was The Navigator, The new fonofilm process of creating sound on film is used to film, The Zinoviev Letter is published in which the USSR supposedly urges the UK to start a revolution, Giacomo Puccini dies and leaving Turandot incomplete, People in the USA can now blow their noses on Kleenex disposable paper hankies, Rhapsody in Blue, New Swimsuits expose arms and legs, Jumpin Jazz, Bix Beiderbecke forms The Wolverines, Duke Ellington begins playing at The Cotton Club, Al Capone sets up headquarters in Cicero, Capone orders the death of Dion O´Banion and more.

THE ROARING TWENTIES: Zelda and F. Scott Fitzgerald are the jazz-age icons, Jumping´jazz, Give me five is Louis Armstrong, The new woman, Doing the ¨Charleston¨ and more.

1925:Home Cubism was Art Deco tea set by potter Clarice Cliff, I´m a brave mouse! the first cartoon character in sound pictures can talk is Timmy Brisby the human-sized brave mouse debuts in the first sound film and cartoon too was The Brave Mouse on May 5th 1925 and created by Harman-Ising and Hanna-Barbera with Timmy Brisby, Jenny McBride and The Big Bad Cat also Gary the Dog debuts too, Theory of evolution in the

dock was John Scopes has been arrested for teaching evolution, Ban on skilled jobs for blacks in South Africa, Cute Kewpie, Klan marches on Washington, but rain stops demonstration, Great Potemkin was the Battleship, Cute Kewpie, The New Yorker, Zig et Puce, Pekka Puupää, Flapper Fanny Says, Etta Kett, Ella Cinders, The City, Pegleg Pete debuts in Alice Solves the Puzzle, Jerry the Tyke debuts, Joseph Stalin makes moves to become the supreme head of the USSR, Chiang Kai-Shek becomes leader of the nationalist Kuomintang, following the death of Chinese premier Sun Yat-Sen, As the US crossword craze grows, the Chicago Health Department says that crosswords are good for your health, London Zoo announces it will install lightning to cheer up the animals during thick UK fogs, The Australian government promises low-interest loans for settlers to encourage Britons to emigrate, Charlie Chaplin´s The Gold Rush premieres, In-flight movies get off the ground when UK Imperial Airways shows The Lost World during a flight, In Italy,

Catholic bishops condemn the scandalous women´s fashions and ban bare-legged women from churches, UK playwright Noel Coward´s Hay Fever opens in London´s West End. It´s it his third play to be staged this year, The Chrysler motor company produces a six-cylinder 1,500 dollar luxury car, Television, John Scopes the teacher on trial for teaching Darwin´s theory of evolution, is found guilty and fined 100 dollars, Big Bill Tilden, the USA´s most popular tennis player, leads his country to a sixth Davis Cup win, The first successful insulin treatment is performed in Europe at Guys Hospital in London, UK, While in prison, German dictator Adolf Hitler publishes Mein Kampf promoting Nazism and attacking Jews, The latest US dance craze, the outrageous ¨Charleston¨ takes Europe by storm, The Locarno Conference finalizes post-World War I treaties and defines Franco-German and Belgo-German borders, Josephine Baker the black US dancer enchants Paris, France with her performance in La Revue Négre, The 35-mm miniature Leica camera, Reza Khan who has ruled Persia since 1921, is declared shah and vows to modernize this country, The Great Gatsby is published this year by US author F. Scott Fitzgerald, receives great acclaim and more.

1926:General strike hits britain, Record swim was Gertrude Ederle from USA swim the English Channel, Winnie the Pooh debuts, The Cotton Club, Hirohito is the New Emperor for Japan, Spara ooh Slösa, Giornale dei Ragazzi, Destiny (wordless novel), The Adventures of Totor, Martin Brisby debuts in the Timmy Brisby cartoon was Love, My Brother!, Bimbo the Dog debuts, Abdul Aziz ibn Saud becomes king of Hejaz, French tennis champion Suzanne Lenglen announces her retirement from singles play, Irish republican Éamon de Valera resigns as leader of the Sinn Féin and founds the Fianna Fáil (soldiers of destiny), In the USA, Douglas Fairbanks stars in The Black Pirate, the first full-length film in two-strip technicolor, At least 100 die in savage riots at fighting breaks out again between Muslims and Hindus in Calcutta, India, Buster Keaton´s latest film The General, Two US aviators Richard Byrd and Floyd Bennett make the first ever aeroplane flight over the North Pole, Polish nationalist and soldier Jozef Pilsudski marches on Warsaw with army units and seizes power in Poland, US golfer Bobby Jones wins the prestigious US Open golf tournament, the first amateur to do so since 1897, Brazil resigns in protest and Spain threatens to leave as Germany is finally admitted to the League of Nations, Thousands of devoted women fans mourn the death of US screen heart-throb Rudolph Valentino, who was only 31, In the USA, Warner Bros develops ¨Vitaphone¨, a movie sound system that synchronizes all kinds of sounds, Nationalist Kuomintang forces under Chiang Kai-shek capture Hangkow and begin the unification of China, US escape artist Harry Houdini dies from a burst appendix following a stomach injury incurred during a stunt, The pioneering Ford Motor Co. introduces a 5-day week and an 8-hour day for their workers in Detroit, USA, In Italy the Pope says Mussolini must have divine protection to survive four assassination attempts in one year, The Bauhaus school of design moves to a site especially designed by Gropius at Dessau, Germany, US natural historians discover traces of what could be the earliest human ancestors in Outer Mongolia, Hunger and poverty force UK miners to accept wage cuts and to return to work after their seven-month strike, French artist Claude Monet dies, The popularity of the wireless grows with more than 2 million homes in the UK having radios, Italy wins the Schneider trophy for record air speed and more.

TWENTIES TRANSPORT: Fiat, Bugatti, Superb Stylish Cars, Finding the Way, Road Maps, Taking to the air, A quick hop in Boeing 247, Great Scot! is the Flying Scotman, Cars for all with Model T. Ford, Sleeping through the journey on the trains such as Orient Express and more.

1927:Fritz Lang´s Metropolis, Land speed record smashed is Major Henry Segrave the British racing driver, Charles Lindbergh first to fly Atlantic solo with his single-engined monoplane was Spirit of St. Louis, Al Jolson´s The Jazz Singer, Sunrise, Jenner the Rude Rat debuts in the Timmy Brisby cartoon was The Rude Rat, Oswald the Lucky Rabbit debuts in Trolley Troubles, Clarabelle Cow debuts,Vienna burns as riots rock the city, Tarka the Otter, Bobby Thatcher, Ching Chow, Connie (comic strip), Good Time Guy, Jane Arden, Kronblom, Little Annie Rooney, Little Negro Bu-ci-bu, Muggs and Skeeter, An uprising against the military dictatorship of Antonio Carmona is crushed in Lisbon, Portugal, Clara Bow becomes known as the ¨It¨ girl after playing a flapper in the US film It, In China nationalist troops led by Chiang Kai-Shek defeat the

warlords and capture the rich port of Shanghai, French audiences are stunned by a recital by US violinist Yehudi Menuhin, aged 10, The first underwater color photograph is published in US National Geography Magazine, Chiang Kai-Shek sets his troops against the communist trade unions and prepares to set up a new government, In the UK, the number of hairdressers soars as women flock to have their hair fashionably ¨bobbed, Archaeologists in Iraq find what they claim is a 5,000-year-old-manicure set on the site of the ancient city of Ur, The UK and USSR sever diplomatic relations when Soviet trade delegates are accused of spying, In the UK, snooker player Joe Davis win the first ever world professional snooker championship, Wireless listeners around the world hear the latest news and cricket scores live from London, UK, Kevin O´Higgins vice-president of the Irish Free State is shot dead fueling fears of further civil war in Ireland, The love affair between John Gilbert and Greta Garbo boosts box-office takings, In the UK Christopher Stone is the first ever radio DJ to broadcast a programme of selected records, In the USA, Italian-born anarchists Sacco and Vanzetti die in the electric chair, despite worldwide protests, US dancer Isadora Duncan dies at the age of 49, when she is accidentally strangled by her scarf, Vets in France say they have developed a vaccine for distemper, a life-threatening disease among dogs, In USSR, Joseph Stalin continues to remove opposition, and expels rival Leon Trotsky from the Communist Party, US jazz composer and pianist Duke Ellington opens at the Cotton Club, the famous Harlem nightclub, Soviet archaeologist Peter Koslov discovers the 700-year-old tomb of Genghis Khan in China, An attempted coup by communists in Canton is crushed by Chiang Kai-shek´s troops and 600 are executed, Show Boat a musical by US composers Hammerstein and Kern, opens on Broadway, New York, The new Model

A. Ford, a successor to the Model T, rolls off the production line in the USA, The Model A. Ford is available in four colors, 1st-or 2nd-class seats offered on Planes and more.

1928:Mrs. Anastasia Chaikovsky claims to be a Romanov, Australians doctors take to the air, Chinese nationalist army enters Peking, Laurel and Hardy, Penicillin discovered is Alexander Fleming, Another cartoon mouse and his named is Mickey Mouse debuts in the first cartoon was Steamboat Willie and created by Walt Disney with Mickey and Minnie, Marmittone, Morgyn the Mighty, Patoruzú, Le Petit Vingtiéme, Room and Board (comic strip), Shanghai Manhua, Strange as It Seems, Tailspin Tommy, Tim Tyler´s Luck, In USSR, Joseph Stalin exiles all key opposition figures, including Leon Trotsky, Lenin´s right-hand man, Thomas Hardy the UK author of Jude the Obscure dies, In China, nationalist troops launch a major offensive, with the ultimate aim of capturing the capital of Peking, Cloche hats are the latest headgear fashion for flappers on both sides of the Atlantic Ocean, The long struggle of UK suffragettes comes to and end as the voting age for women drops to 21, the same as for men, The 9th Olympics Games held in Amsterdam, Netherlands, Norwegian explorer Roald Amundsen who was first to reach the South Pole, goes missing in the Arctic, In the USA, stock market prices plummet on Wall Street as more shares than ever before change hands in a day, The Jazz Singer is shown in Paris, France and creates a stir in the European film industry, US aviator Amelia Earhart is the first woman to cross the Atlantic Ocean by air, as a passenger, The Kellogg-Briand pact, officially abolishing all war, is signed by 15 nations at the French foreign ministry in Paris, The jazz term ¨boogie woogie¨ is coined when Clarence ¨Pine Top¨ records Pine Top Boogie Woogie, The first commercially available TV set made by the Daven Co, goes on sale in the USA priced at 75 dollars, The regent of Ethiopia, Ras Safari, stages a palace coup forcing the Empress Zauditu to abdicate and seizes power, German playwright Bertolt Brecht´s The Threepenny Opera opens in Berlin with music by Kurt Weill, UK car manufacturers Morris Motors launch a new model, the Morris Minor in the UK, Soviet leader Joseph Stalin introduces his first economic five-year plan to industrialize the USSR, French composer Joseph Ravel´s Bolero, which is inspired by a Spanish folk tune premieres in Paris, France, The iron lung developed last year by US physicist Philip Drinker, is used for the first time in the USA, Republican Herbert Hoover is elected US president with a landslide victory over Democrat Al Smith, US composer George Gershwin´s An American in Paris opens with Gershwin at the Piano, Hungarian biochemist Albert Szent-Györgyi manages to isolate vitamin C, A long-distance bus service operates in USA and more.

1929:Tintin makes his debut in Le Petit Vingtiéme and created by Belgian cartoonist George Remi also known as Hergé, Massacre of the mob are the seven US gangsters in Chicago on St. Valentine´s Day, Hollywood awards it´s best was The Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, The Dawn of the Television Age, Popeye makes his debut on Thimble Theatre, Graf Zeppelin airship circles the world, Wall Street crashes, Clara Bow with Richard Arlen and Charles Buddy Rogers in Wings, Buck Rogers debuts, Annabelle, Count Screwloose, Dixie Dugan, Flapper Filosofy, The Funnies, Gods´Man, Kenkoy, Skyroads (Comics), Sor Pampurio, They´ll Do It Every Time, Silly Symphonies debuts, Bosko the Talk-Ink Kid debuts, Wyatt Earp, former US peace officer of Dodge City, Kansas dies at the age of 80, UK society beauty Lillie Langtry the ¨Jersey Lily¨, dies in her Riviera home at the age of 74, Benito Mussolini´s Fascist Party wins a rigged election and forms Italy´s first fascist government, MGM (now Turner Entertainment)´s Broadway

Melody, the world´s first all-singing, all-dancing musical breaks US box office records, In Berlin, Germany, 15 people die when street fighting breaks out between communist demonstrators and police, Un Chien Andalou, the first Surrealist movie is made by Spanish director Louis Buñuel, German scientist Hans Berger develops a new device to measure the brain´s electrical activity, Allied forces put forward the Young Plan, a concessionary deal that refis and reduces German war repayments, The four Marx Brothers make their hilarious and zany US film debut in The Cocoanuts, The first color television image is demonstrated in the Bell Laboratories, New York, USA, Border clashes between Chinese and Soviet troops, following the rupture of trade relations, bring fresh fears of a war, Great Soviet impresario Sergei Diaghilev founder of the Ballets Russes dies, The German liner SS Bremen crosses the Atlantic Ocean, In Jerusalem, Palestine, 113 Jews are killed as fighting breaks out between arabs and jews over access to the Wailing Wall, Erich Marie Remarque´s All Quiet on the Western Front evokes the horrors of trench warfare, In the UK, traffic lights are standardized: red for stop, green for go and amber to warn of change, The kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes is renamed Yugoslavia under the dictatorship of King Alexander, The first exhibition by Spanish Surrealist artist Salvador Dali opens in France, Airship R-101, Following New York stock market crash last month, economic depression deepens worldwide, German author Thomas Mann wins the Nobel Prize for The Magic Mountain, US navy commander Richard Byrd makes the first flight over the Antarctic continent, Benito Mussolini tightens control of economy with the corporate state and more.

THE GANGSTER ERA:Illegal drinking, Diamond Jim Colosimo the Kings of Vice, Bonnie and Clyde, Scarface Capone, Gun power, Little Caesar with Edward G. Robinson and The Public Enemy with James Cagney and Jean Harlow, Law and order is J. Edgar Hoover become of the FBI and more.

1930:Joseph Stalin´s new state farms, Clyde Tombaugh sighted a new planet in our solar system named Pluto after the greek god of the Underworld, Greta Garbo talks in Anna, Zephyr clock, Mohandas Gandhi´s salt march, Bobby Jones the Champ retires, Amy Johnson is the solo flight feat, Blondie and Dagwood, The Little King, Quick & Flupke, Joe Palooka, He Done Her Wrong, Madman´s Drum, Nero and Zero, Pier Cloruro de´ Lambicchi, Rymy-Eetu, Scorchy Smith, Tobias Seicherl, Betty Boop debuts in Dizzy Dishes, Pluto debuts in The Chain Gang, Flip the Frog debuts in Fiddlesticks, Toby the Pup debuts in the Museum, Looney Tunes series debuts was Sinkin in the Bathtub with Bosko and Honey, Steam trains give way to diesel and electric, In Spain, riots follow the fall of military dictator General Primo de Rivera, In Sydney Australian cricketer Donald Bradman scores a record 452 runs, A picture telegraphy service between the UK and Germany opens, US gangster Al Capone is released from prison after serving nine month for tax evasion, The Maltese Falcon by US crime writer Dashiell Hammett is published to wide-acclaim, Nylon is discovered by Wallace Carothers of the Du Pont Company in the USA, The USA, UK, France, Italy and Japan agree to cut naval fleets to control the arms race, The US anti-war film All Quiet on the Western Front directed by Lewis Milestone opens, UK actress Peggy O´Neil is the first person to be interviewed on television, French troops leave the Rhineland five years before the date set in the postwar Versailles treaty, The first newsreel theatre opens on Shaftesbury Avenue in the UK´s capital London, The world´s first air hostess Ellen Church starts works for United Airlines, USA, Mackenzie King resigns as Canadian prime minster and is succeeded by Richard B. Bennet, Uruguay wins football´s first World Cup in Montevideo, beating Argentina 4-2, The skull of a man who lived in a million years ago has been found in China, Following a liberal revolt in Brazil, Dr. Getulio Vargas is installed as temporary president, William Van Alen´s Art Deco skyscraper, the Chrysler Building, is completed in New York, USA, Dutch chemist P J.W. Debye uses x-rays to investigate the structure of molecules, In North Africa, Ras Safari is crowned ¨king of kings¨ and becomes Emperor Haile Selassie of Abyssinia, US studio MGM (now Turner Entertainment) releases the film Billy the Kid in the new ¨Realife¨ widescreen process, US president Herbert Hoover asks Congress for 150 dollar million to help the unemployed, The Youth Hostel Association is formed in England and Wales, Acrylic plastics (Perspex) are invented, Newly released Suntan products in demand in shops, The Hemline on Ladies´s dresses lengthens to just above the ankle, Sunglasses become a fashion accessory, and more.

1931:King Alfonso is the New Republic for Spain, Stratospheric record are Auguste Piccard and Paul Kipfer, Al Capone is arrested and imprisoned for tax evasion, Frankenstein a monster hit on the movie, Babar debuts on The Story of Babar, Alec the Great, Dick Tracy, Hawkshaw the Detective, Tiny Tim (comic strip), Milky the Cat debuts in the Timmy Brisby cartoon, Merrie Melodies series debuts was Lady, Play Your Mandolin! with Foxy and Roxy and Piggy and Fluffy in You Don´t Know What You´re Doin!, Scrappy from Columbia Cartoons debuts, City Lights, Tom and Jerry (Van Beuren), Pierre Laval becomes the new prime minister of France, Anna Pavlova the soviet ballerina famous for her ¨Dying Swan¨ dies, President Hoover opens the 381-m (1,250-ft) high Empire State Building in New York, USA, Béla Lugosi stars as the vampire in Tod Browning´s US film Dracula, US engineer Harold Edgerton invents the first electronic re-usable camera flash, Electric razors, Soviet leader Stalin announces the second five-year plan for the introduction of state-owned farms, Public Enemy, a tough gangster

movie starring James Cagney, causes a sensation in Hollywood, USA, Thousands of people flock to visit the world´s first open zoo at Whipsnade in the UK, The Benguela Katanga, the first trans-African railway, opens in Southern Africa, spanning the continent from east to west, German Databank goes bankrupt, 140,000 Miners lose their jobs in Chile, General Electric Building, New York, USA and more.

1932:BBC finds a new home was Broadcasting House in London, Electric Guitar, Bolivia and Paraguay at war, Franklin D. Roosevelt´s New Deal, Alley Oop, Bucky Bug, Globi, Grin and Bear It, Henry (comic), Jame, Jumbo (magazine), Mandel Karlsson, Napoleon and Uncle Elby, Ons Volkske, Pete the Tramp, Bananas the Monkey debuts in College Brisby the Timmy Brisby cartoon, Goopy Geer debuts, Goofy debuts in Mickey´s Revue, Pooch the Pup, Flowers and Trees the first film in new three-strip Technicolor, Japanese troops create the puppet state of Manchuko, securing their control over Manchuria, The Sukkur Dam, the largest irrigation project in the world opens in India, After nine years of construction, The Sydney Harbour Bridge opens in Australia, US Mildred Didrikson is the most successful track-and-field athlete at the Olympic Games, US scientists announce the development of the first vaccine against yellow fever, US aviator Amelia Earhart becomes the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic ocean, US Jean Harlow and Clark Gable star in film Red Dust, a romance set in a rubber plantation, The UK´s Times Weekly Edition is the first newspaper to feature color photographs, German physicist Albert Einstein dates the age of the earth at an amazing ten billion years, UK author John Galsworthy wins the Nobel Prize, Arnos Grove Underground Station, London, UK, Daily Express Building, Napier, NZ and more.

THE GREAT DEPRESSION: Falling prices are Sugar beet and coffee, Our last hope was Hitler´s Nationalist Socialist Workers´s (Nazi) Party in Germany, Living on the breadline, Apples for sale and cents, Economic miracle is Joseph Stalin, French Strikers Demand Work or Bread, In protest, Economic growth in the USA was President Roosevelt meets the Farmers, In protest, Midwest dust bowl and more.

1933:Adolf Hitler is chancellor, Reichstag on fire, King Kong, Air France, Dictator rules in Portugal, Champ again at the Wimbledon in UK was Helen Wills Moody the american women champion, Marlene Dietrich sets trend for menswear, The Adventures of Smilin ´Jack, The Ambassador (comic strip), Brick Bradford, Captain Easy, Cicero´s Cat, Dan Dunn, Dickie Dare, Ferda Mravenec, Funnies on Parade, The Hotspur, Kulafu, Little Joe (comic strip), Koziolek Matolek, Il Morello, Radio Patrol, Uncle Art´s Funland, Blinky Bill debuts, Piggy Pig, Peppers Penguin and Koko Koala debuts in the Timmy Brisby cartoon was Doomsday, Buddy and Cookie debuts in Buddy´s Day Out, Willie Whopper debuts, Three Little Pigs and The Big Bad Wolf debuts in their cartoon from Silly Symphonies was The Three Little Pigs,Duck Soup,Volstead act is repealed - Prohibition comes to an end, The Spanish Government authorizes martial law as revolutionary forces grow, René Clair´s latest film (Quatorze Juliet) (14 July) is released in Paris, France, The first speaking clock service opens in the Paris telephone area, F.D. Roosevelt is sworn in as the 32nd US president, declaring ¨The only thing we have to fear is fear itself¨, Lloyd Bacon´s US musical film 42nd Street starring Ginger Rogers and Warner Baxter is released, Four Britons make the first flight over Mount Everest in Westland Wallace biplane, In Germany, the Enabling Act allows Hitler rather than the president to rule by decree, Hollywood star Charlie Chaplin marries actress Paulette Goddard in a secret ceremony in Los Angeles, USA, Sir Frederick Henry Royce, co-founder of the UK motor-car company Rolls-Royce dies, Women vote for the first time in South Africa the results lead to a coalition between Hertzog and Smuts, Italian Primo Camera defeats Jack Sharkey to win the world heavyweight boxing title in New York, USA, The first drive-in cinema, the Camden Automobile Theatre opens in New Jersey, USA, Indian activist Mahatma Gandhi is released from a prison hospital in Poona, emaciated after a five-day hunger strike, The opera Arabella by Richard Strauss premieres in Germany, US pilot Roscoe Turner flies from New York to Los Angeles in a record time of 11 hours 30 mins, The Shroud of Turin, a linen cloth believed to be the burial should of Jesus is shown to a crowd of 25,000 people in Italy, Fred Perry is the first UK tennis player to win the US Open since 1903, The German post office opens the first telex service between Berlin and Hamburg, Hitler announces in Berlin that Germany is withdrawing from the League of Nations, in the USA, the film version of Louisa May Alcott´s Little Women is released, More than 9,000 arabs riot in protest against Jewish emigration to Palestine, Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers stars together in the film Flying Down to Rio, Imperial Airways and Indian Trans-Continental start a London-Singapore service, The Lone Ranger debuts and more.

1934:Japan appoints Pu-Yi as puppet emperor, Italy triumphs in the World Cup, Nessie rises in Scotland, Prison on Alcatraz, Mary Poppins, Anything Goes! a new musical comedy, Flash Gordon, Li´l Abner, Terry and the Pirates, L´Audace, L´Avventuroso, Bronc Peeler, Colonel Blimp, Don Winslow of the Navy, Famous Funnies, Father and Son (comics), Frankie Doodle, Hiligaynon, Jens von Bustenkjold, Jungle Jim, Life´s Like That, Mandrake the Magician, Popol Out West, Red Barry (comic strip), Secret Agent X-9, Tank Tankuro, The first Timmy Brisby cartoon in color was Painter Brisby, The first Warner Bros cartoon in color was Honeymoon Hotel, Donald Duck debuts in the cartoon was The Wise Little Hen, French prime minister Edouard Daladier is forced to resign following two

days of major riots in Paris, Noel Coward´s play Conversation Piece, In Germany Deutsche Lufthansa introduces the first transatlantic airmail service, In Canada Oliva and Elzire Dionne become the proud parents of the first set of quintuplets to survive birth, It Happened One Night a comedy starring Clark Gable is a box-office hit, The Automobile Association introduces the first voluntary driving tests in the UK, The US gangster couple Clyde Barrow and Bonnie Parker are shot dead by police in an ambush in Louisiana, USA, The first practical radar test is carried out by Dr. Rudolph Kuhold in Germany, Hitler arrests and executes the leaders of the German Storm Troopers (SA) in the Night of the Long Knives, US film thriller The Thin Man, based on Dashiel Hammett´s best-selling novel is released, UK inventor Percy Shaw revolutionizes road safety with his cat´s-eye road studs, Chancellor Englebert Dollfuss is assassinated in an attempted Nazi coup in Austria, UK tennis players Fred Perry and Dorothy Round win the singles titles at Wimbledon, UK, In the UK, Elizabeth Cowell is the first woman to make a live television broadcast for the BBC, In China, the First Front Army begins a ¨Long March¨ after breaking out of a nationalist blockade, German actress Marlene Dietrich plays Russia´s Catherine the Great in the US film The Scarlet Empress, US explorers Barton and Beebe navigate a bathyscapbe to a record 3,028 ft (922 m) below sea level, In the USA, Chrysler introduce the first car with a curved one-piece windscreen, King Alexander of Yugoslavia and French foreign minister Louis Barthou are assassinated by a Croatian nationalist in France, In Germany Leni Riefenstahl causes a sensation with her film documentary Triumph of the Will, Secret trial begins in the USSR after the assassination of Josef Stalin´s chief aide Sergei Kirov, Italian playwright Luigi Pirandello is awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature, Delotte´s record is broken by Franceso Aiello who flies at 708 km/h (440 mph), Turkish women are given the vote as part of modernizing reforms, Battersea Power Station, London, UK, Auburn unveils new Sports car in the USA, Pudgy and more.

1935:Shirley Timple wins for the Oscar Awards, Moscow metro, German Jews deprived, Twin Dolls are Rag Dolls, Italy invades Abyssinia, Mao Zedong´s march ends, First flight of Hawker Hurricane, Little Lulu debuts, Ace Drummond, Adventure Comics, The Adventures of Patsy, Barney Baxter, Cuto (comic), Hejji, Intrepid, King of the Royal Mounted, More Fun Comics, Oaky Doaks, Timmy Brisby´s first-three strip technicolor cartoon was Timmy Brisby´s 10th Anniversary Party, Porky Pig debuts in the cartoon was I Haven´t Got a Hat with Beans, Oliver Owl and Ham and Ex, The first three Warner Bros cartoons are in Three-Strip Technicolor with the debuts of the color rings are Flowers for Madame, I Wanna Play House and The Cat Came Back, Grampy debuts in Betty Boop and Grampy, The Bride of Frankenstein, Puddy the Pup debuts, Elmer the Great Dane, Meany, Miny and Moe, Turkish women win the vote and participate in a parliamentary election for the first time, The USSR holds it´s first annual international film festival in Moscow, The first canned beer, King Prajadhipok of Siam gives up the throne to his nine-year-old nephew Amanda Mahidol, Becky Sharpe is the first film to use the three-strip Technicolor method perfected by Herbert Kalmus, Robert Watson-Watt builds the first practical radar equipment for detecting aircraft, UK soldier and writer T.E. Lawrence (Lawrence of Arabia) dies, Les Miserables a film based on Victor Hugo´s successful novel about the French Revolution, Y-Fronts manufactured by Cooper underwear go on sale in Chicago, Bolivia and Paraguay sign an armistice to end their three-year dispute over the Chaco region, Alfred Hitchcock´s new thriller The 39 Steps set in the Scottish Highlands premieres in London, UK, The Normandie, In the USA the Social Security Act is passed, introducing welfare for the sick, old and unemployed, George Gershwin´s Porgy and Bess, the first all-black musical, opens in New York, USA, the first paperback novel, Riots break out in the French cities of Paris, Le Havre and Brest in protest over unemployment, Clark Gable stars as the dashing Fletcher Christian in the US film adventure Mutiny on the Bounty, Parking meters, Mackenzie King is appointed prime minister of Canada following the victory of Liberal Party, The Marx Brothers in the first comedy film for MGM (now Turner Entertainment), A Night at the Opera, The first modern opinion poll conduced on car ownership, King George II of Greece is returned to the throne after spending 12 years in exile, Monopoly, The US New York Times is the first newspaper to store back issues on microfilm, Fred and Ginger dances their way to fame in Top Hat the film, 20th Century Fox launch and more.

ARCHITECTURE OF THE THIRTIES:Le Corbusier, International villa, Hilversum Town Hall, Villa Savoye, Ornate tower, Clean living, Skyscraper was the Empire State Building, Light industry was The Hoover Building, Doorway detail, Masterpiece in design and more.

1936:Charlie Chaplin´s Modern Times, Volkswagen a people´s car, Germans enter the Rhineland, Berlin 1936 Olympics, King quits for love was King and Mrs. Simpson on Holiday last summer in Yugoslavia, The Adventures of Jo, Jette and Jock, Belinda (comic strip), Ben Bowing, Bertoldo, Biffen och Bananen, The Brooms, Clock (comic), Jim Hardy, Laff-a-Day, Mickey Finn, Oor Wullie, The Phantom, Reba (comics), Room and Board (comic strip), Scribbly the Boy cartoonist, Song Without Words, Steve Roper and Mike Nomad, Dracula´s Daughter, Gary the Dog´s girlfriend debuts in the Timmy Brisby cartoon was Walkin´the Pooch, I Love to Singa with Owl Jolson, Swing Time, Kiko the Kangaroo debuts, Popeye the Sailor meets Sindbad the Sailor the first two-reel full-

length cartoon, The UK mourns the death of King George V who is succeeded to the throne by Edward Prince of Wales, Rudyard Kipling dies, Dr. Jaeger and Dr. Espig produce the first synthetic emerald, Sixteen-year-old Crown Prince Farouk, the eldest son of King Fuad is proclaimed king of Egypt after his father´s death, Mayerling with Charles Boyer and Danielle Darrieux, Supekrmarine Spitfire I, the RAF´s new weapon, Benito Mussolini the italian racist leader claims the rebirth of an empire with the annexation of Abyssinia, In the USA baseball player Joe Di Maggie plays his first competitive game with the New York Yankees, Rudolph Optic flies the twin-engined Messerschmitt Bf 110 fighter for the first time, Léon Blum leader of the Socialist Party wins the election to become prime minister of France, Frank Capra´s Mr. Deeds Goes to Town with Gary Cooper and Jean Arthur, Gatwick the first airport with covered walkways leading to the aircraft, Civil war erupts in Spain when General Franco heads an army rebellion against the republican government, UK film tycoon J. Arthur Rank establishes a Hollywood-style studio at Pinewood in London, UK, Hindenburg crosses the Atlantic in a record time of 46 hours, Joseph Stalin has 16 political opponents two of them his former comrades, executed for treason, The BBC makes it´s first television broadcast from Alexandra Palace, London, in the UK, Beryl Markham is the woman to cross the Atlantic solo from east to west, In the UK, 200 unemployed men ¨march against starvation on the Jarrow Crusade across England, Nadia Boulanger is the first woman to conduct the London Philharmonic Orchestra in the UK, The 120-million dollar Hoover Dam opens on the Colorado River in the USA, In the USA, Roosevelt becomes the first president to win a second four-year-term since 1914, Life, US airline Pan Am starts the first trans-pacific service, Franco Leads the revolt of The Spanish Moroccan Garrison, International Brigade Troops assemble, The USSR sends aid to Republicans, German junkers aircraft bomb Madrid, Miami Beach Cinema, Florida, USA and more.

1937:Margot Fonteyn´s debut, Pride of Germany in flames was Hindenburg, George VI crowned, The Golden Gate Bridge span, The Paris Expo 1937, Japan provokes war with China, The Dandy, Prince Valiant, Abbie an´Slats, Ace Comics, Barney Boko, Beelzebub Jones, Buck Ryan, Desperate Dan, Detective Comics, Ferd´and, Freddy the Fearless Family, Il Vittorioso, Keyhole Kate, Korky the Cat, Lurchi, Olga Mesmer, Slam Bradley, Vertigo, The World Museum, Daffy Duck debuts in Porky´s Duck Hunt, Petunia Pig debuts in Porky´s Romance, Elmer Fudd debuts in Egghead Rides Again, Huey, Louie and Dewey debuts, Della Duck debuts, Popeye the Sailor meets Ali Baba´s Forty Thieves, Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs the world´s first full-length animated movie in color, Saratoga, Maytime, The Good Earth, Stella Dallas, Broadway Melody of 1938, Captains Courageous, Lost Horizon, A Star is Born, A Day at the Races, Major floods in the midwest of the USA leave millions homeless and destitute, Babes in Arms, Sabiha Gokchen is the first woman to fly on a combat mission, Thirteen Bolshevik leaders are sentenced to death for conspiring with Trotsky to overthrow Stalin, Sabu a former stable boy in India stars in the film Elephant Boy, UK aviator Jean Batten wins the Britannia Trophy following her solo flight from the UK to New Zealand, The German air force, fighting for Franco in the Spanish Civil War, carries out a massive air raid on the town of Guernica, UK engineer and ex-pilot Frank Whittle builds the first prototype jet engine, Former King of the UK, Edward, Duke of Windsor marries Wallis Simpson at the Chateau de Candé in France, US writer Margaret Mitchell wins the Pulitzer Prize for her best-selling novel Gone with the Wind, The first color news photograph of the Hindenburg in flames is published in USA, The UK government announces proposals to partition Palestine to end the conflict between Jews and Arabs, George Gershwin dies, Nestlé introduces Milky Bar, Irish prime minister Éamon de Valeta is re-elected for a second term with a majority of 69 seats, US singer Bessie Smith dies in a car accident in Memphis, aged 43, In Germany the first national prizes are awarded to Nazi artists and scientists, US aviator Amelia Earhart disappears over the Pacific on the last leg of her round-the-world flight, John Steinbeck´s Of Mice and Men opens on Broadway, New York, USA, The first major car show opens at the new Earl´s Court Exhibition Centre in London, UK, In northern Spain, 6.000 republican forces surrender to General Franco´s nationalist army at Dijon, Me and My Girl the Musical Comedy, Marie Claire Magazine is launched in Paris from France, The King Church, Cork, Ireland and more.

THE SPANISH CIVIL WAR:General Franco, Rebels with a cause, Nationalist-held territory, Republican Soldiers, Republican Political Cartoon, Taunting the enemy, Raid on Madrid, A country in ruins, A writer´s war, Call to arms, Picasso painting protests against the war was Guernica and more.

1938:La Marseillaise the documentary, Adolf Hitler claims Austria, The Adventures of Robin Hood from Warner Bros, Boys Town, Alexander´s Ragtime Band, Test Pilot, You Can't Take It with You, Sweethearts, In Old Chicago, Love Finds Andy Hardy, Marie Antoinette, Too Not to Handle, Bombs keep falling on China, Hitler Youth, Joe Louis fights Max Schmeling, Mallard sets new world speed record, Around the World in three days is Howard Hughes built Lockheed 14 Electra, Neville Chamberlain displays new peace accord says Peace for our time, Awesome Orson causes hysteria was Orson Welles broadcasts The War of the Worlds by H.G. Wells, The night of broken glass in jewish shops, Fisherman discovers a living fossil, The Addams Family debuts, The Beano debuts, Spirou and Fantasio debuts, Superman debuts, Dick Fulminine, Jumbo Comics, Nancy, Red Ryder,

Radio Fun, Richie spy, Sheena Queen of the Jungle, Sjors & Sjimmie, Smorbukk, Tif et Tondu, Pre-Bugs Bunny debuts in Porky´s Hare Hunt, Chuck Jones´s first cartoon was The Night Watchman, Baby-Face Mouse, Gandy Goose and Sourpuss debuts, Hunky and Spunky debuts, Boy Meets Dog by Walter Lantz, Austrian psychiatrist Sigmund Freud moves to the UK after being persecuted by the Nazis, Benny Goodman plays to a sell-out audience at Carnegie Hall, US chemical company E.I. du Pont manufacture nylon bristles for toothbrushes, Mikhail Kalinin wins an election in the USSR to become president of the country´s supreme ruling body, The Adventures of Tom Sawyer based on Mark Twain´s novel with Tommy Kelly, The first purpose-built air-raid shelter for the use of the general public is opened in the UK, The dominion of Australia celebrates the 150th anniversary of European settlement, In the UK, BBC radio broadcast the first comedy series Bandwagon, starring Arthur Askey, UK engineer John Logie Baird demonstrates the first high-definition color TV in the UK, King Carol of Romania ousts the elected premier Octavian Goga and becomes dictator, Bringing Up Baby with Cary Grant and Katharine Hepburn, Low-voltage fluorescent lights go on sale in a major department stores in the USA priced at 1,50 dollars and 2,00 dollars, France´s first socialist prime minister Léon Blum is forced to resign following the defeat of his radical budget, The Adventures of Marco Polo with Gary Cooper, US chemist Roy J. Plunkett accidentally finds a new non-stick substance and calls it teflon, Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini meet in Rome, Italy and pledge lasting friendship in a grand ceremony, US writer John P. Marquand wins the Pulitzer Prize for fiction for his novel The Late George Apley, New York is the first state to pass a law requiring medical tests for US marriage licences, US president Franklin D. Roosevelt signs the Labor Standards Act introducing a minimum wage of 25 cents an hour, Italy wins it´s second consecutive football World Cup by beating the Hungarians 4-2 in Paris, France, Two US companies begin production of fluorescent lamps available in seven colors, Kurt von Schuschnigg, the last chancellor of Pre-Nazi Austria is tried and sentenced for treason, The first television serial, a comedy called Vine Street is broadcast in Los Angeles, USA, A peace treaty is agreed by Paraguay and Bolivia, ending the dispute over the Chaco region, US tennis player Helen Wills Moody wins her eighth Wimbledon singles victory, The first children´s zoo opens in Regents Park, London in the UK, Celebrations are held in the Netherlands to mark the 40th anniversary of Queen Wilhelmina´s accession to the throne, The Rage of Hollywood with Douglas Fairbanks Jr. and Danielle Darrieux, The first experimental television transmissions are broadcast in the USSR, Germans living in the Czech territory of the Sudetenland hold mass rallies demanding union with Germany, UK cricketer Len Hutton scores a record 363 runs in a test match against Australia in London, UK, BBC transmit a feature-length on TV, The Student of Prague a German movie with Subtitles, German pilot Kurt Henke flies non-stop from Berlin, Germany to New York, USA in a record time of 24 hours 36 mins, Alfred Hitchcock´s The Lady Vanishes, Long-lasting nylon bristled toothbrushes, Edward Bënes resigns in protest over the German occupation of the Sudetenland, The Corn is Green a play, The first success flexible drinking straw, 18 synagogues are destroyed by Nazi firebomb attacks in Vienna, the capital city of Austria, Picture Post, the first successful photocopy with his xerox machine, Adolf Hitler decorates Charles Lindbergh with the German Service Cross, Sergei Eisenstein the film director produces Alexander Nevsky his first film with sound, The first drink-driving test, The Drunkometer is used by police, The UK government unveils the ¨National Register¨ stating what people will do in time of war, Pygmalion with Leslie Howard based on G.B Shaw´s play, Boeing´s Supekrmarine the first pressurized airliner makes it´s maiden flight in the USA and more.
1939:Uranium atom split in half, Prague is invaded, Anglo-Saxon find Sutton Hoo, Stagecoach, Three-year-old inherits throne is Amir Faisal the new king of Iraq, the 1939 New York World´s Fair, Across the Atlantic in style was Boeing 314A Dixie Clipper, In the Mood by Glen Miller, The Wizard of Oz a new film, British children evacuate cities, Poland is invaded, War is declared, Winter war in Finland, Gone with the Wind a new another film, Mr. Smith Goes to Washington, Jesse James, Babes in Arms, Goodbye, Mr. Chips, The Rains Came, Batman debuts, Blondin et Cirage, Blue Beetle, Blue Ribbon Comics, Bluey and Curley, Fantastic Comics, Flyin´Jenny, Masked Marvel, The Neighbors, Silver Streak, Stardust the Super Wizard, Four Color, Zigomar, Son of Frankenstein, Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer debuts, Sniffles debuts in Naughty But Mice, Inki debuts in The Little Lion Hunter, Barney Bear debuts, Andy Panda and Lil´Eightball both debuts, Dinky Duck debuts, Gus Goose debuts, Casper the Friendly Ghost debuts, Fleischer´s Gulliver ´s Travels is released, The Irish Republican Army (IRA) begin a major a bombing campaign aimed at cities in the UK, W.B Yeats dies, Anderson air-raid shelters are erected by the inhabitants of Islington, London, The UK government decide that Palestine should not become a Jewish state, but an independent Arab-Jewish state, Spencer Tracy wins an Oscar Award for Best Actor for his role as Father Flanagan in Boys´Town, The first washing machine, In the Vatican City in Rome, Cardinal Eugenio Pacella is elected Pope Pius XIII on his 63rd birthday, In Durban, South Africa, a cricket test match against England is declared a draw after ten days, The launch of instant coffee in the UK by Swiss company Nestlé, The Spanish Civil War ends as nationalist leader General Franco takes control of Madrid, Hollywood film stars Clark Gable and

Carole Lombard marries, The UK Interplanetary Society conclude a two-year study for landing men on the moon, King Zog of Albania flees his country when Italian troops capture Tirane the capital city, Laurence Olivier starts in the film was Wuthering Heights based on Emily Brontë´s classic novel, German aviator Fritz Wendel sets a new air speed record of 768 km/h (480 mph) in a Messerschmitt jet, Franklin D. Roosevelt is the first president to be televised, Marian Anderson sings in front of 75,000 people at the Lincoln Memorial, USA, Paul Hermann Müller the Swiss chemist confirms the bug-killing properties of the chemical DDT, Adolf Hitler tears up the 1934 Anglo-German naval treaty and denounces the mutual assistance pact with Poland, Kodak introduces the first color film, Robert Menzies succeeds Joseph Lyons as the new prime minister of Australia, US baseball star Lou Gehrig retires after 2,130 consecutive games with the New York Yankees, The first regular North Atlantic airmail service is inaugurated between the USA and Portugal, UK member of parliament Winston Churchill calls for a military alliance between the UK and the USSR, in the UK, the BBC TV service is suspended at the outbreak of war, Airborne interception radar is installed in UK aircraft to locate the enemy, The USSR shocks the rest of Europe by signing a non-aggression pact with Germany, The Hound of the Baskervilles with Basil Rathbone as Sherlock Holmes, Heinkel He-178, US president Franklin D. Roosevelt announces that the USA will remain neutral in the European war, In the UK, ENSA an entertainment organization for the armed forces is formed, UK company ICI starts the regular production of a new chemical material called polytene, Stained-glass windows are removed from Notre Dame Cathedral for fear of air-raids in Paris, France, The Grapes of Wrath published buy John Steinbeck, The first game of American football is televised by NBC in New York, USA, Over 150,000 UK troops are moved to France to strengthen the French troops against any German attack, The Black Swan the new pirate movie with Tyrone Power, Birds Eye introduce the first US pre-cooked frozen meals, chicken fricassee and steak, In Munich, Germany, Adolf Hitler narrowly escapes a bomb explosion that kills seven high-ranking nazis, General Electric launches the first refrigerator with a freezer compartment, Magnetic mines laid by German submarines sink 60,000 tons of UK shipping off the east coast of England, In London, UK, the Royal Opera House is turned into a dance-hall to entertain the public during blackouts, The first propeller torpedo boats are manufactured for the Finnish navy by Higgins Industries, Inc in the USA, The German battleship Graf Spee is sunk in Montevideo, Uruguay, after a fierce battle with UK cruisers, We´ll Hang Out the Washing on the Siegfried Line the hit song, In the USA, nylon stockings go on sale for the first time at a price of 1.15 million dollars a pair, Igor Sikorsky designs the Helicopter, The German Heinkel 178 is the first jet aircraft, Victory for the nationalists and more.

1940:Gone with the Wind wins nine Oscars, Netherlands and Belgium invaded, Wurtlizer Jukebox, Allied forces flee Dunkirk, French forces surrender, German air-raids in Battle of Britain, Boys find ancient treasure trove, The Flash debuts, Green Hornet, Green Lantern, Black Widow, Airman, Arrow (Comics), Big Shot Comics, Blue Beetle, Brenda Starr Reporter, Chesty Bond, Crack Comics, Cucciolo, Daring Mystery Comics, Dick Bos, Goofus and Gallant, Hit Comics, Ibis the Invincible, Invisble Scarlet O´Neil, Isidoro Cañons, Lady Luck, Master Comics, Master Man, Mr. Mystic, Our Own Oddities, Red Raven Comics, Doc Savage, Seven Deadly Enemies of Man, The Shadow, Spirit (comics character), Thrilling Comics, Uncle Sam (comics), Vangsgutane, Walt Disney´s Comics and Stories, Weird Comics, Willie and Joe, Wings Comics, Wow Comics, Zip Comics, Bugs Bunny debuts in A Wild Hare, Tom and Jerry debuts in Puss Gets the Boot, Woody Woodpecker debuts in Knock, Knock, Daisy Duck debuts in Mr. Duck Steps Out, Walt Disney´s Pinocchio and Fantasia are both released, The Philadelphia Story, Seventy people are dying every day, mainly from starvation in the Warsaw Jewish ghetto in Poland, The US film version of John Steinbeck´s novel The Grapes of Wrath is a triumph, A UK company makes an electrical cable that can detonate magnetic mines, For the first time since 1918 the UK introduces food rationing Butter, sugar, ham and bacon are now in short supply, The UK passenger liner Queen Elizabeth completes her secret maiden voyage, Dalai Lama is installed as the fourteenth spiritual leader of the Tibetan Buddhists, A new census puts at the population of the USA at 131 million with the average age 28, Six people are killed by the explosion of an Irish Republican Army (IRA) land mine at Dublin Castle in Ireland´s capital, My Little Chickadee the Hollywood comedy with Mae West W.C. Fields, US explorer Richard Byrd ´s current expedition to Antarctica charts previously unknown areas, Following Neville Chamberlain´s resignation, Winston Churchill becomes the UK´s prime minister, Paul Klee dies, The first automatic swing doors, UK fascist leader Sir Oswald Mosley is interned under a new law allowing for the arrest of ¨suspected persons, In the UK, artists Stanley Spencer and Paul Nash are officially appointed to record the events of the war, UK scientists discover that German bombers are guided to their targets by following radio beams, General Charles de Gaulle broadcasts to France via the UK´s BBC ¨The flame of the French Resistance must not go out¨, The UK government advises women to conserve wood by choosing flat-heeled shoes instead of high heels, Albert Einstein the German scientist states that no theory can provides a logical basis for physics, Exiled Bolshevik leader Leon Trotsky is assassinated with an ice pick by Ramon Mercader in Mexico City, US star Bing Crosby´s new country and western record San Antonio Rose is

a massive hit, Penicillin, Japan signs a ten-year military pact, allying itself with both Germany and Italy, Princess Elizabeth makes her first radio broadcast to child evacuees in the UK, The US army carries out it´s first experiments with night photography, The ¨Dig for Victory¨ campaign is introduced in the UK to encourage families to grow their own vegetables, The first ¨Smellie¨ feature film with flower and food odors is shown in New York, USA, Motorized bicycles, US president Franklin D. Roosevelt is re-elected for a third term in a landslide victory, Engineer Karl Pabst designs the first lightweight military-style Jeep for the US army, The Germans bomb the UK city of Coventry, destroying the cathedral and killing 568 people, Charlie Chaplin´s satirical comedy was The Great Dictator with Adolf Hitler, In the USA, Colonel Sanders formulates his special recipe for KFC, Germans use acorns to make substitute coffee, Tinned meat used to supplement fresh meat in UK, Soe set up to co-ordinate resistance groups in Europe, Charles De Gaulle establishes free French National Committee and more.

1941:Balkans surrender, Air Raid Safety, Rommel arrives in Tripoli, London blitzed by German bombers was St. Paul´s Cathedral, Bismarck ship is sunk, Germans invade, Winter shows Nazi advance, Japanese attack Pearl Harbor, The Archies debuts, Aquaman and Wonder Woman are both debuts, Captain America, All-Flash, Iron Man (Canadian comic), Black Cat (Harvey Comics), Blackhawk (DC Comics), Bulletman and Bulletgirl, Oliver B. Bommel and Tom Poes, Captain Marvel, Nelvana of the Northern Lights, Sylvain et Sylvette, Cecil Turtle debuts in Tortoise Beats Hare, Butch Cat debuts in The Alley Cat, The Fox and The Crow debuts, Citizen Kane, Sullivan's Travels, The Wolf Man, Happy the Funniest Mouse is the world first Warner Bros´s full-length animated movie, The Happiest Greyhound is the world first Turner Entertainment´s full-length animated movie, Aladdin and the Magic Lamp is the world first Walter Lantz/Universal´s full-length animated movie while years later such as Medieval Dogs,Timmy the Funniest Fox and more until The Legend of Peter Pan from 1959, 81 Hounds, A Man Who Turned into a Tiger, The Brave Little Bat and The Hunchback of American Bell Tower are the world first Columbia Cartoons´s full-length animated movie, The Happiest Duck is the world first Terrytoons´s full-length animated movie, Disney´s Dumbo and Fleischer´s Mr. Bug Goes to Town are both released, The Maltese Falcon is released, The Italian-held port of Tobruk in Libya falls to triumphant UK and Australian troops, James Joyce dies, The first airplane ejection seat is tested in the German Heinkel He-280 jet fighter, US president Franklin D. Roosevelt signs the Lend Lease Act a programme promising aid to the Allies, Tamara Lobora of the USSR becomes the first woman camera operator to shoot a feature film, In the UK the Royal Air Force (RAF) establishes the first air-sea rescue team, In the UK, war work becomes compulsory for all women without young children aged 16 to 49, Mother Courage and her Children by Bertolt Brecht, In the UK, a policeman suffering from septicemia is cured by the new drug penicillin, Bulgarian prime minister Bogdan Philoff signs the Tripartite Pact, allying Bulgaria with Germany and Italy, The Thief off Baghdad the US movie with special effects, The first playgroup for pre-school children, Adolf Hitler´s deputy Rudolf Hess crash-lands in Scotland with an important message, Scientists develop the synthetic polyester fabric Terylene in the UK, Major fascist strongholds in Italian-controlled east Africa surrender to UK troops, US boxer Joe Louis successfully defends his world title for the seventeenth time, Gloster E28/39, Churchill and Roosevelt agree the Atlantic Charter, an alliance between the UK and USA, The BBC launches the UK´s ¨V for Victory campaign through Europe, The first commercial TV broadcasting begins in the USA, with NBC and CBS competing, Joseph Stalin orders the destruction of a giant dam in order to hinder the Nazi Advance, Rabindranath Tagore dies, portable writing boards called clipboards, Mohammed Reza Pavlov is the new 21-year-old shah of Iran. He promises to be a completely constitutional monarch, The Maltese Facon directed by John Huston starring Humphrey Bogart, The first UK commercial flying-boat service, All Jews in Germany over the age of six are required to wear the Star of David in public as a ¨mark of shame, The world´s first aerosol can containing insect spray, Following the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, the USA and the UK both declare war on Japan, Repairs to the USA´s famous presidents at Mount Rushmore are completed, The first Japanese merchant ship of the war is sunk by an US navy submarine, Italy and Germany declare war on the USA, President Roosevelt responds by declaring war on Italy and Germany, Suspicion directed by Alfred Hitchcock, A japanese fighter plane with a liquid-cooled engine makes it´s first flight, Electric Taxis appear in Paris to combat petrol shortages, The Australian Women´s land army farms food for overseas, First Radar-Night fighters used and more.

HOME FRONTS:Inflatable shelter, Fire Service badge, Harvesting food, Wartime radio, Eggs in tins, Business as usual, War games, Gas mask, Living in fear, V for Victory and more.

1942:Yanks in UK, Yanks round up Japanese, Singapore falls swiftly to Japan, Battle of Midway Island, Dieppe disaster, Victory for Monty at El Alamein, Frank Sinatra´s debut, Vogue Dolls are War Dolls, Crime Does Not Pay, Hoppy the Marvel Comics, Sad Sack, Ziggy Pig and Silly Seal, Yankee Doodle Dandy, Timmy Brisby´s world first full-length movie was Timmy Brisby and Martin Brisby´s Great Adventures, Tex Avery´s new character was McWolf, Looney Tunes´s world first full-length movie was Daffy Duck and Porky Pig´s

Great Adventures, Bugs Bunny´s world first full-length in the package musical movie was Funtasia, Conrad the Cat, Beaky Buzzard, Rabbit and Catstello, Henry Hawk debuts in The Squawkin Hawk, Tweety debuts in A Tale of Two Kitties, Homer Pigeon debuts, Spike and Tyke debuts, José Carioca debuts in Saludos Amigos, Bambi, The Dover Boys with Dan Backslide, The people of Malta are awarded the UK George Cross for enduring German bombing, Carole Lombard is killed in a TWA airliner crash near Las Vegas, USA, The BBC broadcasts a Daily Morse code news bulletin to the French Resistance, SS Deputy Chief Reinhard Heydrich the butcher of Moravia is assassinated in Czechoslovakia by Resistance agents, US bandleader Glenn Miller´s song Chattanooga Choo Choo sends one million copies and wins a gold disc, The first T-shirts, Major General Dwight Eisenhower is given command of all US forces in Europe from headquarters in the UK, Woman of the Year the US comedy film with Spencer Tracy and Katharine Hepburn, Nylon parachutes are used for the first time in Hertford in the UK, In France all Jews over the age of six are ordered to wear the Star of David on their clothes at all times, US athlete Cornelius Warmerdam sets a record for the pole vault of 4.78 m (15.7 ft), The Co-operative Society of Romford launches the UK self-service grocery store, The German Sixth Army launches an assault on the city of Stalingrad in the USSR, Yankee Doodle Dandy with James Cagney, German Messerschmitt Me 262 makes it´s maiden flight, A death camp at Treblinka, to be used for the mass murder of the Jewish people, is opened by the Germans in Poland, Irving Berlin´s This is the Army, The Oxford Committee for Famine Relief (OXFAM) is founded by Gilbert Murray in the UK, Operation Torch gets underway as General Eisenhower leads the Allied landings in Morocco and Algeria, Stars and Stripes a newspaper, The XP-59 turbojet aircraft, The Beverage Report, a blueprint for UK postwar social security by Sir William Beveridge is made public, Bing Crosby´s hit song White Christmas, Physicist Enrico Fermi conducts a sustained nuclear chain reaction test in the USA, Chocolate in the USA is sent to Armed Forces, French Women join the Maquis and take part in Espionage Activities, Women´s US Army corps joins war effort, Navy Dispatch riders deliver messages in UK, Tito organizes Yugoslav Underground, Czech Resistance assassinates General Reinhard Heydrich, Self-contained Underwater breathing apparatus perfected and more.
1943:Casablanca, The Little Prince by Antoine de Saint-Exupéry, German army surrenders at Stalingrad, Massacre of the Warsaw ghetto, Allies capture North Africa, Bouncing bombs dropped, Ladislao Biro on the ball, German army smashed at Kursk, Allies take Palermo, Italy joins forces with the Allies, Fierce bombing in Hamburg, Black Hood, Buz Sawyer, Captain Triumph, Captain Wonder (Timely Comics), Claire Voyant (comic strip), Don Winslow of the Navy (comic strip), Garth (comic strip), Giggle Comics, Half Hitch, Hazel (comics), Headline Comics (for The American Boy), Kerry Drake, Little Iodine, Male Call, Memín Pinguín, Miss America (Madeline Joyce), Onésime, Penny (comic strip), Super Duck, Super Rabbit, Tulius (comics), Wilson the Wonder Athlete, Jonathan Brisby II debuts in the Timmy Brisby cartoon was Respectful Riots, Mr. Mittens and Miss Bow-Wow are both debuts in the Timmy Brisby cartoon was The Smart Salesman, Tom and Jerry´s world first full-length movie was How Tom met Jerry, Droopy debuts in Dumb-Hounded, Red debuts in Red Hot Riding Hood, Claude Cat and Hubie and Bertie are debuts in The Aristo-Cat, Private Snafu and Mr. Hook, Blackie the Lamb and Wolfie debuts too, Chip and Dale debuts in Private Pluto, Sniffles´s best friend was Mary Jane debuts inthe comics and animated movies, Allied troops take Tripoli the last remaining Italian-held city in Libya, Mrs. Miniver wins an Oscar Award for best film in Hollywood, USA, Thornycroft Terrapin I, UK RAF Mosquito bombers launch the first two daylight raids on Berlin, Oklahoma! premieres in New York, USA, French naval engineer Jacques-Yves Cousteau successfully tests his ¨Aqua-Lung¨ breathing apparatus, Indian social reformer Mahatma Gandhi begins a 21-day hunger strike in protest over his imprisionment in Poona, Baron Münchausen the fantasy adventure film, The first telephone answering-machine able to give and receive messages, In Frankfurt, Germany several key bridges along the River Oder are destroyed by saboteurs, Sergei Rachmaninov dies, The first kidney machine, The German army discovers a mass grave of over 4,000 Polish officers in the Katyn Forest, Poland, I Walked with a Zombie from RKO Pictures, In Baltimore, USA, Judy Johnson is the first female jockey to win a professional horse race, The Allies begin a major bombing campaign aimed at Italian cities and military bases, The Land is Mine by Jean Renoir, Code-breaking bombes decipher German Enigma messages at Bletchley Park, UK, In the UK, part-time war work becomes compulsory for all UK women who are aged between 18 and 45, Charlie Chaplin marries Oona O´Neill daughter of Eugene O´Neill, In the UK the General Post Office introduces the pre-stamped aerogrammes, The new French Committee of Liberation led by General de Gaulle pledges to liberate French territory, Leslie Howard goes missing when his plane is shot down in the Bay of Biscay, SCUBA (self-contained underwater breathing apparatus), A severe famine grips the province of Bengal in north-east India, For Whom the Bell Tolls with Ingrid Bergman, DUKW 2,5 tonne US amphibian supply craft used for Sicilian landings, In Italy, Mussolini is overthrown and Marshal Pietro Badoglio forms a new government, Rita Hayworth and Orson Welles are married in Santa Monica, USA, Allied intelligence reports that Germany is testing a new flying bomb in Blizna, Poland, Jean Moulin president of the French National Resistance Council is

captured and executed by the German Gestapo, An Allied bombing raid on Rome in Italy manages to avoid hitting major historic sites and buildings, The German Luftwaffe launches the Hs 293, UK RAF bombers attack a top-secret Nazi rocket base at Peenemünde in northern Germany, Paul Robeson´s Othello, A new tax scheme called PAYE (Pay As You Earn), In Sweden 4,200 UK prisoners of war are exchanged for Germans in the first major exchange of the war, Max Reinhardt dies, Penicillin is first used to treat wounds of Allied soldiers fighting in the Mediterranean, Allied leaders meet Chinese leader Chiang Kai-shek in Cairo, Egypt, to discuss measures to defeat Japan, Leonard Bernstein makes his debut conducting the New York Philharmonic Orchestra in USA, The first children´s adventure playground, Allied leaders Churchill, Roosevelt and Stalin attend a summit in Teheran, Iran to co-ordinate war strategies, Carmen Jones (musical), Irish coffee is invented, The Soviet army launches an offensive in the Ukraine after regaining two-thirds of Soviet territory from Germany, Beatrix Potter dies, Colossus I the first electronic computer, Russian women fly aircraft into war zones and more.
WOMEN AT WAR:Mothers of invention, Modest protection, Civilians, Professional shoppers is shopping with a ration book, utility silk stockings, Inventive wartime fashion is utility wedge shoes, Anti-aircraft command is a woman operating a searchlight, Role model ¨Rosie the Riveter¨, The land girls are the Women´s Land Army, Women wonders for an armaments factory, Doing your bit, taking jobs and more.
1944:Soviet Union smashes siege line, Freedom for Rome, Mondrian dies, Allied troops storm Normandy beaches, V-1 launched, Hitler death attempt, War Games, Paris liberated by the Allies, Japanese navy crushed at Leyte, The Amazing Mr. X, Brok Windsor, Captain Flight Comics, Contact Comics, Dotty Dripple, EC Comics, Jimmy and his Magic Patch, Johnny Hazard, Kismet, Man of Fate, Lance Lewis, Space Detective, Piet Fluwijn en Bullock, "Pistol" Jim, Punch and Judy Comics, Rico Tipo, Superkatt, Teena, There Oughta Be a Law!, This Funny World, The Three Mouseketeers, Torchy (comics), Wilbur Comics, Yellowjacket (Charlton Comics), The Three Bears debuts in Bugs Bunny cartoon was Bugs Bunny and the Three Bears, Screwy Squirrel debuts, Wally Walrus debuts, Herman the Mouse debuts with Henry the Rooster too, An Elephant in Paris the world first Famous Studios´s full-length animated movie,Double Indemnity, Allied troops land on the beaches of Anzio in southern Italy to outflank German defence lines, US forces launch "Operation Brewer", an assault on the Japanese-occupied Admiralty Islands in the Pacific.,UK RAF Mosquitoes stage a precision raid on Amiens, France, to free French Resistance leaders., A large Allied force is dropped into Burma by glider and strategically positioned ready to attack the Japanese, French dramatist and war hero Jean Giraudoux dies aged 61.,Eleven-year-old Elizabeth Taylor stars in National Velvet, made by the US Turner Entertainment., Norwegian artist Edvard Munch, a founder of Expressionism, dies aged 80., The BBC plans to develop schools radio to accompany a new education system in the UK, Helicopters are used in warfare for the first time by the USA army., The first printed circuit boards are used in electronic equipment for warfare., The first night reconnaissance photographs are taken by the US airforce over Italy., The first ballpoint pens are manufactured for use by the RAF in the UK, planned bombing campaign., The first of 500.000 prefabricated homes designed for bombed-out families go on show in London in the UK, Iceland, which has shared a royal family with Denmark since 1381. becomes the Republic of Iceland, US actress Marlene Dietrich entertains the Allied troops in Italy and north Africa., Gaslight, a thriller suspense Starring Charles Boyer and Ingrid Bergman premieres in the USA., French existentialist writer Jean-Paul Sartre's new one-act play No Exit opens in Paris, France, US actor Gregory Peck makes his screen debut playing a resistance fighter in Days of Glory, Quinine, used as a treatment for malaria, is synthesized by scientists at Harvard University in the USA., UK anthropologist Dr Leakey discovers fossils and tools used by people in the Old Stone Age., The first eye bank is opened by Manhattan and New York hospitals in New York, USA, For the first time, napalm, a highly inflammable substance, is used in warfare by the UK army, The UK parliament passes an education act to provide all children with free education., V-2 rockets, the deadly successors of the V-Is, are launched on London, UK from bases in Holland and Germany., In Germany, all males aged 16 to 60 are called up for compulsory service in the Volkssturm ("home guard")., The Allies liberate Antwerp in Belgium and destroy the V-1 flying bombsite in the Pas de Calais in northern France., US comedian Bob Hope entertains Allied forces with his comedy show in the Solomon Islands, Warner Brothers release the hilarious comedy Arsenic and Old Lace, starring US actor Cary Grant., US dancer and actor Fred Astaire puts on a private show for Allied forces stationed in France., Laurence Olivier and Ralph Richardson star in Richard III at the New Theatre in London, UK., John Logie Baird attempts an "all-electronic colour television system in the UK., Germany introduces postcodes, a form of address coding to make the delivery of mail more efficient, The German Messerschmitt Me 262A-2 Sturmvogel, ("Stormbird") is used in battle for the first time., The Swedish Volvo PV44 is the first car to be fitted with a laminated glass windscreen., Field Marshal Rommel commits suicide rather than face the consequences of his participation in the plot to kill Hitler., Franklin D Roosevelt wins a record fourth term as US president with 432 votes over Republican Thomas Dewey., Three UK RAF Lancaster bombers sink the German Tirpitz warship in the Tromso Fjord in northern

Norway., Civil war erupts in Greece when the National People's Liberation Army (NPLA) seires part of Athens., The Martha Graham Dance Company perform Aaron Copland's ballet Appalachian Spring in the USA., The Green Bay Packers defeat the New York Giants in the US national football league championship, US film National Velver is released in Hollywood, starring 11year-old UK actress Elizabeth Taylor., US singer Glenn Miller's plane is reported missing on a routine flight over the Channel., Two Messerschmitt Me 262A fighters become the first jet aircraft to be shot down in aerial combat., US surgeon Alfred Blalock performs the first successful heart operation on a newborn baby., Chemists in the UK develop chromatography, a technique used to separate mixtures of liquids or gases, in the UK, Decca Records release the first high-fidelity (hi-fi) recordings, Japanese women are employed in arms factories, Rice ration in Japan is cut by two-thirds, Starving Dutch resort to eating tulip bulbs, German resistance plants bomb in Hitler´s headquarters and more.

OCCUPATION AND RESISTANCE:Hidden map, Odette Sansom the secret agent, Nazi propaganda, Life in occupied Paris, Puppet prime minister was Vidkun Quisling, Secret radios are SOE agents, Ever vigilant, In disguise, Secret force, French resistance fighters being briefed and more.

1945:Allies flatten Dresden in single night of bombiing, US capture Iwo Jima, Les Enfants du Paradis, Adolf Hitler´s death, Franklin D. Roosevelt dies on eve of victory, Truth revealed as death camps discovered, Montgomery accepts German surrender terms, Victory in Europe, Allied victory in Germany, Devastating bomb dropped on Japan, Child victims, Victory celebrations, Official surrender was the Japanese delegation arrived on the deck of the US battleship Missouri, Ho Chi Minh´s new republic, Suske en Wiske, Asso di Picche, De Avonturen van Pa Pinkelman, Bruce Gentry, Cip l´arcipoliziotto, Giles family, Ozark Ike, Marvel Family, Mary Marvel, Millie the Model, Kapitein Rob, Katy Keene, Rock of Eternity, Patsy Walker, The Great Martindini Brisby debuts in the Timmy Brisby cartoon was The Great Martindini Brisby at the Circus, Sylvester the Cat debuts in Life with Feathers, Pepe Le-Pew debuts in Odor-able Kitty, Yosemite Sam debuts in the cartoon was Hare Trigger, Flippity and Flop debuts, The Ghostly Trio debuts, Panchito Pistoles and the Arabian Bird debuts in The Three Caballeros, Garbancito of La Mancha is the first full-length Europe animated film in color, US president Franklin D Roosevelt is inaugurated for a record fourth term in office, Seven thousand people are killed when the German Wilhelm Gustloff is sunk by a Soviet submarine in the Baltic sea., The Soviet Red Army discover the horrors of the Auschwits concentration camp in Poland, where millions of Jews died., Winston Churchill, Joseph Stalin, and Franklin D Roosevelt carve up the postwar world at Yalta, in the Ukraine,, US singer Perry Como has a hit with Till the End of Time St., Sergei Eisenstein's film Ivan the Terrible is released in the USSR's capital Moscow., Brazilian musician Villa Lobos composes the musical score for the film The Green Mansions, The world's first fluoridated water supply is available in Michigan, USA, Soviet scientists start to develop high-thrust liquidpropellant rocket engines., A vertically launched rocket interceptor crashes on its first manned test flight in the USSR., The USSR begins flight trials of the RD-100 rocket engine, a version of the German V-2., Japanese schools and universities are shut down and everyone over the age of six is ordered to do war work., in Germany, the Soviet army launches an offensive aimed at capturing Berlin from its bridgehead on the River Oder., Mussolini and his mistress Clara Petacci are shot dead by Italian partisans and found in the Piazza Loretto in Milan, Italy, The Soviet army takes Vienna in Austria, and installs Karl Renner as prime minister of the provisional government.,The US film The Picture of Dorian Gray, based on Oscar Wilde's novel, is released, Oscar Hammerstein's US musical Carousel opens at New York's Majestic Theatre, USA.,US jazz-band leader Lionel Hampton releases his All American Award Concert album to great acclaim, Hungarian scientists succeed in reflecting radar signals from the Moon, The Heinkel He 162 is the first aircraft to go into service with a operational ejector seat., Hungarian scientist Lajos Jánossy investigates the effects of cosmic rays upon the Earth's atmosphere., Dr Claus Maertens invents the comfortable Doc Marten shoe after he suffers a ski injury while on holiday., At the Potsdam Conference in Germany Allied leaders disagree over where Germany's postwar boundaries should be drawn., The USA unleash a second atomic bomb on the city of Nagasaki in Japan, killing over 65,000 innocent men, women, and children., Marshal Pétain, former premier of France, is sentenced to death but reprieved by General De Gaulle because he is 89 years old., Following the defeat of Japan, conflict breaks out in that country between the nationalist government and the communists., The BBC broadcasts The Robinson Family, the first daily drama serial in the UK, US jazz musician Charlie Parker has a hit with the popular tune Now's the Time., The Czechoslovakian government nationalises all the country's film companies., The Louvre art museum in Paris, France, is re-opened to the general public, The first atomic explosion takes place in Almogordo in the New Mexico desert, USA., A vaccine against virus A and B influenza is used on the US army for the first time., Benadryl is developed in the USA to treat common allergies such as hayfever and asthma., Finnish scientist Arturri Virtanen develops a method for preserving cattle fodder., UK troops take control of the colony of

Hong Kong as Japanese troops return to Japan, French traitor Pierre Laval is denied the right of appeal after being sentenced to death for collaborating with the Germans., Egypt, Iraq, Syria, and Lebanon form the Arab League and warn that the creation of a Jewish state will cause trouble., Colonel Juan Péron takes over the government of Argentina again, only eight days after he had been ousted by the army., The Italian film Rome. Open City is unpopular as it reminds people of the war., Former child actress Shirley Temple marries John Agar in Hollywood, California, USA., US star Joan Crawford returns to the screen in Mildred Pierce, the story of an over-achieving woman., The Moscow Dynamo football team leaves the USSR for a tour of the UK and wins every match., The Universal Jeep. the first Jeep for civilian use, is produced in the USA., A helicopter crosses the Channel between France and the UK for the first time., Fluorescent lighting is first used in Europe in an underground station in London, UK, The first microwave oven is patented by the Raytheon Company in the USA., Marshal Tito's National Front Party wins an overwhelming majority in a general election in Yugoslavia., The trial of 21 leading Nazis is opened in Nuremberg, Germany, before an Allied International Military Tribunal, General Charles de Gaulle is elected the president of the provistonal government in France., Mussolini's daughter Edda Mussolim Ciano is jailed for two years in Italy for aiding fascism., Popular jazz artist Woody Herman releases a hit album called The Thundering Herd, "Bebop" is the new sound sweeping across the USA. Small "combos" play loud, fast music, Jerome Kern, US composer of many well-loved hits including Show Boat, dies aged 60., Film critics warmly receive UK director Alfred Hitchcock's latest thriller Spellbound., The first air-sea rescue by helicopter is carried out by the US army off Long Island Sound., US chemist Earl W Tupper develops airtight plastic boxes called "Tupperware"., The first car-stickers are manufactured by Forest Gill at the Gill Studios Kansas, USA, A new fabric called Lurex is manufactured by Dobecknum Co. Cleveland, Ohio, USA, Violette Szabo Awarded French Croix de Guerre for Courage, Cigarettes are used barter for food and other essential items and more. TECHNOLOGY OF WAR: Albert Einstein is Intelligent advice, Enigma machine variations, Air attack was Stormovik, Exploding pigs, Rocket man was Wernher von Braun from V-1 and V-2 rockets, a Radar display, Bombsite, Early warning, Mechanical mind was Electronic Numerical Integrator and Calculator and more.

1946:United Nations, Iron Curtain division in Europe, Palestine splits, Two-piece shock, Notorious, Jitterbug dance (since the 1930s), Top Nazis sentenced, It´s a Wonderful Life!, Blake and Mortimer debuts, Lucky Luke debuts, Aggie Mack, Amok (comics), Black Bob (comics), Black Cat (Harvey Comics), The Comet (UK comics), Corentin (comics), Eric de Noorman, Frankenstein (DC Comics), From 9 To 5, Gim Toro, Halakhak Komiks, Hey Look!, Laugh Comics, Mark Trail, Panda (comics), Paulus the woodgnome, Priscilla's Pop, Real Fact Comics, Rip Kirby, St Trinian's School, Sazae-san, This Godless Communism, Tintin (magazine), Torchy (comics), Treasure Chest (comics), Cindy Brisby debuts in the Timmy Brisby cartoon was Martin Brisby´s Date, Foghorn Leghorn and Barnyard Dawg both debuts are in Wally Talky Hawky, Gossamer debuts in Hare-Raising Hare, Toodles Galore debuts, Nibbles debuts in the Tom and Jerry cartoon was The Milky Waif, George and Junior debuts in Henpecked Hoboes, Heckle and Jeckle debuts, Toodles Galore debuts, Brer Rabbit, Brer Fox and Brer Bear debuts, Rocky and Mugsy debuts in Racketeer Rabbit,The Best Years of Our Lives, Emperor Hirohito of Japan declares his divinity a "false conception founded in fiction., Colonel Juan D Perón is elected as the president of Argentina for a six-year term, despite heavy opposition from the US, Anti-UK protestors and riot police clash in Bombay, India, and over 60 Indians are killed and 500 injured., Italian women are able to vote in national elections for the first time, Enrica de Nicola is elected president, UK director David Lean's film of Great Expectations premieres, US film star Lana Turner heads the cast of the menacing film The Postman Always Rings Twice., Television licences, to raise revenue to support the BBC are introduced in the UK, The BBC revives TV broadcasts in the UK interrupted by the war., US company IBM introduces a new electronic calculator using vacuum tubes., Dr Spock's Common Sense Book of Baby and Child Care is published in the USA, A huge 14-tonne German V-2 rocket climbs 120 km (75 miles) in a US missile test., Scot John Logie Baird, the first to demonstrate TV pictures, dies aged 58., In the worst anti-Jewish pogrom since war ended, 39 Jews and tour Poles are killed in Poland, Chinese communist leader Mao Zedong orders an all-out civil war against the nationalists., Nari Hermann Goering commits suicide by swallowing cyanide hours before he is due to be executed., The National Health Service (NHS) is created in the UK by the Labour government., HG Wells, UK author of The Time Machine and The War of the Worlds, dies aged 79., French film director Jean Cocteau's Beauty and the Beast wins the Louis Delloc Prize., US boxer Sugar Ray Robinson wins the welterweight championship in New York City, Swiss mystic author Herman Hesse wins the Nobel Prize for Literature., The US military conduct the first underwater atomic explosion of the Bikini Atoll in the Pacific, The first car with electrically operated windows, the Daimler DE36, is manufactured in the UK., A non-smudging ballpoint pen called the Biro after its Hungarian inventor goes on sale in the UK.,UK scientists Donald Hay and Edward Appleton discover thar sunspots emit radio waves.,UK GI Brides leave their homes for a new life in the USA, The United Nations hold their first session and more.

1947:Christian Dior´s New Look, Anne Frank´s diary published, Dead Sea scrolls, Independent India, Yeager shatters sound barrier, Witchhunt in Hollywood was Crossfire, Black Canary (Dinah Drake), Black Fury (character), Paula Brooks, Steve Canyon, Carpanta, Buck Danny, Per Degaton, Eega Beeva, Gentleman Ghost, Grandma (comic strip), Hagibis, Harlequin (DC Comics), Huntress (comics), Icicle (comics), Injustice Society, Johan and Peewit (Johan et Pirlouit), Judy of the Jungle, De Lustige Kapoentjes, Mask (DC Comics) Molly Mayne, Mister Atom, Moomin comic strips, Moomins, Moon Girl (EC Comics), Namora, Nero (comic book character), Penny Plunderer, Rose and Thorn, Rulah, Jungle Goddess, Sesinho, Silly Philly, Sportsmaster, Star Sapphire (character), Streamline (comics), Superwoman, Sweet Gwendoline, Tawky Tawny, Tigress (DC Comics), Tomahawk (character), Tommy Tomorrow, Valentina (Philippine comics), Detective Van Zwam, Varga (comics), Wizard (DC Comics), Wonder Girl, Yankee Girl, Zipi y Zape, Cecilia Brisby debuts in the Timmy Brisby cartoon was Jonathan Brisby II falls in Love, Charlie Dog debuts in Little Orphan Airedale, The Goofy Gophers debuts, Little Audrey debuts, Buzzy the Crow debuts, The Egg and I is released, Fun and Comedy Tunes and Fun and Fancy Free are both packaged animated movies released, Scrooge McDuck debuts in Christmas on Bear Mountain, The Bishop´s Wife, In Germany, UK and US agents round up hundreds of Nazis who have been in hiding., In the UK, Lord Mountbatten is appointed viceroy of India in order to oversee the transfer of government to India., Henry Ford, who changed the car industry with his mass-produced Model T. dies in the USA aged 83., US secretary of state George Marshall reveals his plan for the reconstruction of postwar Europe., The lively musical Brigadoon opens at the Ziegfeld Theatre, in New York, USA., In the USA, Jackie Robinson is the first black American to play in major league baseball since 1884, The musical Anne Get Your Gun opens to rave reviews in the West End of London, UK, UK actor Laurence Olivier is awarded a knighthood for his contribution to the theatre., UK scientist J A Sargrove is the first to develop a printed circuit board., In the UK, prime minister Clement Attlee makes the first party political broadcast on BBC radio., The first duty-free shop selling wines and spirits opens at Shannon Airport in Ireland., The first microwave ovens go on sale in the USA, but they fail to make an impact on the public.,In the newly partitioned India, thousands are killed as riots break out between Hindus and Muslims., Princess Elizabeth, daughter of King George VI, marries Lieutenant Philip Mountbatten in London, UK, The UN general assembly votes in favour of the partition of Palestine and the emergence of a new Jewish state,, The Greek government dissolves the communist-controlled National Liberation Front, US actor Danny Kaye stars in the film comedy The Secret Life of Walter Mitty., Twelve-year-old Julie Andrews stars in the musical show Starlight Roof in the UK, The Edinburgh Festival of Music and Drama is founded in Scotland., The children's film Miracle on 34th Street opens to crowds in the USA, The first frozen orange juice concentrate is manufactured by a citrus co-operative in the USA., President Truman makes the first presidential address to the US nation on the television, In Romania, Anna Pauker becomes the first female foreign minister, The first transistoris patented by US physicist William Shockley, Marshall Plan offers aid to governments in Western Europe and more.

AFTER THE WAR:Welcome home, Pre-fabrication, Demobilization, The re-building of Europe, Miraculous recovery, A land of prosperity, The aftermath of the atomic bomb, Sweet rations, The wasteland of Hiroshima and more.

1948:Gandhi mourned across India, Czech communists stage coup is Clement Gottwald, Israel proclaimed is Chaim Weizmann and David Ben-Gurion, Blockade beaten, Alchemy by Jackson Pollock, Marshal Tito with Josef Stalin, The Adventures of Alix, Arizona Annie, Biffo the Bear, Black Rider (character), Captain Atom (Atlas Publications), Captain Compass, Roy Carson, Evil Star, La Familia Burrón, Fiddler (comics), Frankenstein (DC Comics), Funnyman (comics), Gladstone Gander, Kid Colt, Larry Lance, John Law (comics), Lone Ranger, Mad Hatter (DC Comics), Clan McDuck, Merry Pemberton, Rex Morgan, M.D., Nighthawk (DC Comics), Pif le chien, Riddler, Shmoo, Stroker McGurk, Sun Girl (Marvel Comics), Tex Taylor (comics), Johnny Thunder (John Tane), Tonto, Tony Falco, Two-Gun Kid, Vicki Vale, Venus (Marvel Comics), Villainy Inc., Tex Willer, Winnie the Witch (comics), Witness (character), Helen and Troy Brisby debuts in the Timmy Brisby cartoon was Timmy´s Family Tree, Hippety Hopper debuts in Hop, Look and Listen, Marvin the Martian debuts in Haredevil Hare, Buzz Buzzard debuts in Wet Blanket Policy, The Farewell Canary is released, Sylvester and Sniffles The Movie from Warner Bros and Melody Time from Walt Disney and more are released, The Treasure of Sierra Madre, The Union of Burma is proclaimed an independent republic in jubilant celebrations, In South Africa, David F Malan of the segregationalist Nationalist Party becomes the new prime minister., In Hungary, the Social Democrats and the Communists merge to form the Hungarian Workers' Party, In the USA, the Selective Service Act requires all men aged 18 to 25, To register for military duty., The celebrated Soviet film Sergei Eisenstein dies a heart attack at the age of 50, UK actress Vivien Leigh stars in the romantic film drama Anna Karenma., World heavyweight champ Joe Louis knocks out Joe Walcott to retain his title in the USA, US poet TS Eliot, who wrote The Wasteland, is awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature.,The UK General Certificate of Education

(GCE) comes into use., US scientist A E Mirsky discovers ribonucleic acid (RNA) in human chromosomes., Record producers Columbia introduce the first US long playing commercial vinyl records., Scrabble, the word game devised by architect Alfred Mosher Butts, is launched in the USA., The Republic of South Korea is proclaimed in Seoul with Syngham Rhce as president, Communist leader Kim Il Sung proclaims the People's Republic of North Korea in Pyongyang, Count Folks Bernadotte, the UN mediator in Israel, is assassinated there hy Jewish terrorists., Seven Japanese officials are hanged in Tokyo following conviction as war criminals., King George VI of the UK opens the first post-war Olympic Games in London, UK., Vittorio de Sica's latest film The Bicycle Thief is praised by the film critics in Rome, Italy, US actor Gene Kelly stars as D'Artagnan in the film The Three Musketeers., Norman Mailer's war novel The Naked and the Dewul is published, The world's first turbine propeller aircraft, the UK Vickers Viscount, makes its maiden flight., Edward Herbert Land's, Polaroid camera proves very popular with the US public., In the USA, Richard and Maurice McDonald open a drive-in hamburger cafe.,in Switzerland, Georges de Mestral invents Velcro, a new clothes fastener, The birth-rate soars in the postwar baby boom, Dr. F.Malan introduces the Apartheid system and more.
1949:Nato alliance forged, Hamlet takes five Oscars, Automatic robot, Italian champs perish in air crash, Buster Bunny (comics), Circe (character), Condorito, Flook (comic strip), Geky Dor, Las hermanas Gilda, Little Dot, Loki (Marvel Comics), Moose Mason, Pecos Bill (comics), Poussy, Roy Raymond (character), Reverse-Flash, Casey Ruggles, Pow Wow Smith, Tiger Shark (DC Comics), Alf Tupper, Zeus (Marvel Comics), Butch debuts in Bad Luck Blackie, Wile E. Coyote and the Road Runner are both debuts in Fast and Furry-Ous, Colonel Shuffle debuts in Mississippi Hare, Penelope Pussycat debuts in For Scenti-mental Reasons, Playboy Penguin debuts in Frigid Hare, Mr. Magoo debuts, Beany and Cecil debuts, The Great Kangaroo Rat Detective and Foxnapped from Columbia Cartoons, The Private Detective Mouse, A Robot Girl from Future and The Coyote Prince from Warner Bros and The Adventures of Ichabod and Mr. Toad from Walt Disney and more are all released, The Third Man, Crusader Rabbit and The Adventures of Pow-Wow are both the first two animation television series, Race riots between Indians and Africans in South Africa result in 106 deaths., Army leaders in Argentina try to force Eva Perón out of public life but Juan Perón threatens to resign as president, The newly proclaimed independent Republic of Ireland leaves the UK Commonwealth, President Truman tries to calm anti-communist hysteria in the USA which was fuelled by "loyalty" investigations., The first Emmy TV Awards are presented in Hollywood, USA, German Jews protest at the Berlin premiere of hit film Oliver accusing it of being anti-semitic., Arthur Miller's provocative new play Death of a Salesman premieres in New York, USA, US boxer Joe Lous, nicknamed the "Brown Bomber", retires as the world heavyweight champion., New "micro-groove" 45 rpm records are invented in the USA, US air force pilots complete the first nonstop, round-the-world flight in Lucky Lady II., The first Telethon is held in the USA with Milton Berle staying on air for 14 hours to raise money for charity, The first heliport a landing pad specially made for helicopters, is installed in New York, USA. and more.
1950:Atom spy jailed in USSR was Scientist Klaus Fuchs, War breaks out in Korea, Soccer shocker in the 1950 World Cup, Dan Dare, Eagle (comic), The Peanuts are Charlie Brown, Snoopy and the Gang are debuts, Tales from the Crypt, The Adventures of Bob Hope, Akim (comics), Apache Kid (comics), Barelli, Beetle Bailey, Big Ben Bolt, Black Magic (comics), Black Rider (character), Boys' Ranch, Captain Pugwash, The Cisco Kid, Darna, Doris Dobbel, The Gambols, Girls' Romances, Gorgeous Gus, Harris Tweed (comic strip), The Haunt of Fear, It Rhymes with Lust, The Jackson Twins, Kevin the Bold, King Aroo, Kinowa, Martin Kane, Private Eye, My Friend Irma, Negro Romance, Nick Knatterton, Perry Mason, Reggie and me, School Friend, The Silent Three, Straight Arrow, Strange Adventures, Strange Worlds,The Shadow (Frew Publications), Tomahawk (character, Two-Fisted Tales, Ukala, Uncle Art's Funland, The Vault of Horror (comics), Weird Fantasy, Weird Science (comics), Quacker debuts in the Tom and Jerry cartoon was Little Quacker, Baby Huey debuts, Granny (Looney Tunes) debuts in Canary Row, Miss Prissy debuts in An Egg Scramble, Sylvester Jr. debuts in Pop, I´m Pop!, Katnip debuts, White Fang from Famous Studios, Post-War Tiger from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, The Bird and the Mouse from Warner Bros Cartoons, Cinderella with The Brave Engineer from Walt Disney and more are all released, Frosty the Snowman debuts, Sunset Boulevard Under Jawaharlal Nehru's leadership, India becomes the world's largest democratic republic, In Canberra, Australia, Prime Minister Menzies promises a 3,000-strong force to support US troops in Korea, Jan Smuts, the former Boer guerrilla leader and renowned South African statesman, dies aged 80., A United Nations force led by General MacArthur lands at Inchon in South Korea in an attempt to recapture Seoul , Carol Reed's film The Third Man premieres in the UK, Soviet ballet dancer and choreographer Vaslav Nijinsky dies in London, UK, aged 60., US swimmer Florence Chadwick swims the Channel in 13 hours 23 mins, beating the women's record., Irish dramatist and critic George Bemard Shaw, author of the play Pygmalion, dies aged 94., Diners Club credit cards are launched in the USA by Ralph Schneider, The first human kidney transplant is performed by US surgeon RH Lawler., The production of television sets in the UK has increased by 250% in a single year, In

London, UK, the Bowler family celebrates the centenary of that UK institution, the bowler hat, Group areas act makes pass books compulsory and more.
1951:Genius machine, United Nations moves house, J.D. Salinger is a hero for a new generation, Dennis the Menace (American and British comics), Brothers of the Spear, Captain Comet, Captain Miki, Combat Kelly, The Common Man, The Daltons (Lucky Luke), Doctor Thirteen, Dracula (Marvel Comics), La familia Cebolleta, Junior Woodchucks, Key (character), Killer Moth, King Kull (DC Comics), Midge Klump, Kuri-chan, L'oncle Paul, Pepito (comics), Meneer Pheip, Piet Pienter en Bert Bibber, Procopio (comics), Rarotonga (comics), Rasmus Klump, Red Hood, Paul Temple, Trigger Twins, Whip (comics), Danny Brisby debuts in the Timmy Brisby cartoon Barber Brisby, Clyde Bunny debuts in His Hare-Raising Tale, Nasty Canasta debuts in Drip-Along Daffy, The Beagle Boys debuts in The Terror of the Beagle Boys, Castle in the Jungle from Famous Studios, The Courageous Robot Heroine from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, The Happiest Goat from Warner Bros, Alice in Wonderland from Walt Disney and more are released, The Day the Earth Stood Still, The African Queen, A Streetcar Named Desire,An American in Paris, A Place in the Sun, Dragnet, I Love Lucy, United Nations forces repel a joint Chinese and North Korean offensive near the 38th Parallel, US President Truman fires commander of the UN forces General MacArthur after he threatened to invade China last month., Blacks and people of mixed race are removed from the electoral register in South Africa, and therefore cannot vote, One million South Koreans are reported to have died since the onset of the Korean War in 1950., Soviet Mikhail Botvinnik retain his world chess crown at the chess Championships in Moscow., Ace Argentine racing driver Juan Fangio wins the victor's laurels at the European grand prix in France., In the USA, New York's WCBS TV broadcasts the first baseball game in color., East Germany turns down an invitation to take part in the 1952 Olympics, The celebrated German motor car engineer Ferdinand Porsche dies at the age of 76., The US Atom Energy Commission begins A-bomb tests in the Nevada desert., Deutsche Grammophon launches the first 33 rpm long-playing record, In the UK a Porsche, the first German car exhibited since the end of WWII, is a success, First color TV broadcast in USA and more.
1952:Little Mo Connolly the tennis champion wows Wimbledon, Eva Perón is dead, Three Olympic golds for Czech in the 15th Olympic Games in Helsinki, Finland, USA tests H-Bomb, Ike for President, Albert Schweitzer has been awarded the Nobel Peace Prize for noble doctor, Dr. Maria Montessori experience, Astro Boy debuts, Pi-Pio debuts, The Adventures of Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis, Baldo (Italian comics), Bessy (comics), Cave Girl (comics), Cornelius Coot, Detective Chimp, Dyesebel, Firefly (DC Comics), Judge Parker, Marsupilami, Midgard Serpent (Marvel Comics), Oktaaf Keunink, Pedrito el Drito, Phantom Stranger, Rex the Wonder Dog, Robot Archie, Serafino (comics), Starter (comics), Thun'da, Tiramolla, Trottolino, Timmy Brisby and the Gang are watching Ike for President on TV, Marc Anthony and Pussyfoot debuts in Feed the Kitty, Spike the Bulldog and Chester the Terrier debuts in Tree for Two, Pete Puma debuts in the Bugs Bunny cartoon was Feed the Kitty, The Great Cat of the Wild from Famous Studios, The Vampire Duck from Warner Bros, The Robot Heroine from the Future from Walt Disney with two shorts are Susie the Little Blue Coupee and Witch Hazel from Trick or Treat the Donald Duck cartoon and more all released, Gyro Gearloose debuts in Gladstone's Terrible Secret, The Adventures of Ozzie and Harriet, Commando Cody, Hign Noon, Monsieur Hulot, King George VI of the UK dies aged 56 and Princess Elizabeth accedes to the throne., Dr Kwame Nkrumah is elected as prime minister of the Gold Coast, the first African prime minister south of the Sahara, US President Truman signs a peace treaty with Japan to mark the official end of World War II in the Pacific., In South Africa, blacks, Indians and mixed race begin a non-violent campaign against the imposition of apartheid., The Indian International Film Festival, the first festival of its kind in India, opens, A dazzling new musical, Singin' in the Rain starring singer and dancer Gene Kelly, opens in the USA., UK actress Vivien Leigh wins an Oscar for her role in the hit film A Streetcar Named Desire., René Clément's moving film about the effects of war on two children, Jeux Interdits, opens in Paris, France., An artificial heart is first used in an operation at Pennsylvania Hospital, USA., Two USAF F-84 Thunderjets make the longest sustained jet flights from the USA to Germany, UK airline BOAC begins the first jet passenger service from the UK to South Africa, The USS Nautilus, the world's first nuclear-powered submarine is launched in the USA., After his abdication, King Farouk of Egypt, the "playboy king" sails out of Alexandria in his luxury yacht., Still a schoolboy, Crown Prince Hussein becomes king of Jordan when his father is pronounced too ill to rule., The UK declares a state of emergency in Kenya as Mau Mau terrorist attacks increase in the fight for independence., In Brazil, the government forms a Coffee Institute to increase the national output of coffee., In the USA, actor Charlie Chaplin is investigated as a communist sympathizer., New Greek opera singer Maria Callas wins warm ovations in the UK for Bellini's Norma., The New Musical Express publishes the first singles record chart in the UK, This is Cinerama, the first film in wide-angle Cinerama is shown in New York, USA., A Swedish Airways plane is the first passenger airliner to fly over the North Pole., In Cyprus, archaeologists discover a 2,000-year-old mosaic depicting Homer's tale The Iliad., Bwana Devil, a 3-D film where lions "leap" from

the screen, opens, This is Cinema uses wide-screen system to stretch range of vision and more.
CINEMA OF THE FIFTIES:Drive-in movies, Rockin´soundtrack, Childhood fantasy, 3-D cinema with 3-D vision glasses, Saturday cinema clubs with Lassie the Dog and Champion the Wonder Horse, Roy Rogers and his horse Trigger, Science-fiction, Special effects are Godzilla, Big-budget epics are Ben Hur (1959), Marine monster is The Creature from the Black Lagoon and more.
1953:Death of Joseph Stalin a dictator, Charlie Chaplin´s life in exile, Stepping out are Spike heels or stilettoes, Scientists discover the key to life are DNA, Peak pioneers on Mount Everest, A new Elizabethan era begins, Marlon Brando in Lasso Benedek´s The Wild One, April, May and June Duck, Atomic Mouse, Beryl the Peril, Bondying, Captain 3-D, Fix and Foxi, The Flibbertys, Frankenstein's Monster (Marvel Comics), Jerom, Little Lotta, Little Plum, Lorna the Jungle Girl, Mickey the Monkey, Minnie the Minx, Jack Monroe (character), Muggy-Doo, Petatje, Richie Rich, Roger the Dodger, Seccotine, Space Mouse, Spooky the Tuff Little Ghost, Superduperman, Tor (comics), Walter the Softy, Zombie (comics), Little Dot, The 3D Cartoons are Timmy Brisby in A Game Show is Born from Turner Entertainment, Bugs Bunny in Lumber-Jack Rabbit from Warner Bros, Popeye in the Ace of Space and Casper in Boo Moon from Famous Studios, Woody Woodpecker in Hypnotic Hick from Walter Lantz/Universal and Peter Pan from Walt Disney with Adventures in Music: Melody from Walt Disney are all released, Toot, Whistle, Plunk and Boom is the first Cinemascope cartoon, Speedy Gonzales debuts in Cat-Tails for Two, Ralph Wolf and Sam Sheepdog are both debuts in Don´t Give Up the Sheep, Maw and Paw and Chilly Willy are both debuts, Duck Dodgers debuts in Duck Dodgers in the 24½th Century, An Weasel in Texas (1953) from Warner Bros is released, From Here to Eternity and Where the TVs Come From are both from Columbia Pictures are both released, Gumby debuts, Winky, Dinky and You, Shane, Romper Room, Yugoslav communist leader Josip Broz, known as Tito, is elected president of Yugoslavia., Flooding in Holland leaves over 1,000 dead after dykes burst, and nearly 300 drown in the UK's east coast flood., UN and communist prisoners-of-war are swapped at Panmunjon, Korea, but the war continues, Egypt is proclaimed a republic after army leaders depose King Fuad, infant son of ex-king Farouk, US country singer Hank Williams dies of a heart ailment aged only 29., French actor Jacques Tati stars in Monsieur Hulot's Holiday, a film about an accident-prone bachelor, Soviet composer Sergei Prokofiev, whose works included Peter and the Wolf, dies aged 61., US writer Ernest Hemingway wins a Pulitzer Prize for his book The Old Man and the Sea, The UK grounds all Stratocruiser aircraft after finding an engine defect., US film company Twentieth Century Fox announces the advent of wide-screen CinemaScope., US virologist Dr Jonas Salk successfully tests a vaccine against the disease polio., US architect Frank Lloyd Wright receives a National Institute of Arts and Letters medal, JUL The Korean armistice is signed at Panmunjom after three years of fighting and the loss of over two million lives., Over 1,000 are reported dead in Greece's Ionian islands after they are hit by earthquakes and huge tidal waves., The shah flees Iran after a failed attempt to topple the nationalist leader Mohammad Mossadegh., French soldiers capture Dien Bien, Phu in Vietnam from the Communist Viet Minh forces,, Gentlemen Prefer Blondes, a US film musical starring Jane Russell and Marilyn Monroe, opens, US golfer Ben Hogan wins his third golf masters tournament in one year., Fiery Welsh poet Dylan Thomas dies at the Chelsea Hotel, New York, USA, aged only 39., UK PM Winston Churchill wins Nobel Prize for Literature for his historical works., The first film in widescreen CinemaScope, The Robe, premieres in Hollywood, USA., Soviet prime minister Georgi Malenkov claims the USSR has the H-bomb., The US Bell X-IA rocket-powered plane flies at over 2,560 km/h (1.600 mph)., A UK-led expedition sets out to find the legendary yeti in the mountains of Nepal, Millions watch Coronation of Britain´s Elizabeth II Live on TV, Miniature ¨Matchbox¨ cars become an instant hit, Blue Jeans become popular as leisure wear and more.
1954:New vaccine, Roger Banister breaks four-minute barrier, Super-fast flyer was Mercedes the 300SL Gullwing, French defeated in Vietnam, Joseph McCarthy´s witchhunts over, On the road to racial equality, First atomic power station was Obninsk, The Bash Street Kids, Turok, The Bash Street Kids, Bazooka Joe, Brother Sebastian, Romeo Brown, Chlorophylle, Dan Cooper (comics), Cutts the butcher, Fighting American, Geppo, Gorilla-Man, Hi and Lois, Jack and Jill (comics), Jann of the Jungle, Janu the Jungle Boy, Long Sam, Marmaduke, Miracleman (character), Mirror Man (character), Outlaw Kid, La Patrouille des Castors, Pellefant, Ringo Kid, Roy of the Rovers, Space Cabbie, Jerry Spring, Wendy the Good Little Witch, Western Kid, Timmy Brisby, Tom and Jerry, Warner Bros cartoons and more are in Cinemascope cartoons are released, The Tasmanian Devil debuts in the Bugs Bunny cartoon was Devil May Hare, Egghead Jr. debuts in Little Boy Boo, Witch Hazel (Looney Tunes/Merrie Melodies) debuts in Bewitched Bunny, Winnie Woodpecker debuts, Animal Farm from Halas and Batchelor, The Brave Musketeer Dog from Warner Bros, The Walt Disney Anthology series the first Disney TV series from Walt Disney and more are all released, The Adventures of Paddy the Pelican, On the Waterfront, Rear Window, The Creature from the Black Lagoon, On the Waterfront, Godzilla, President Eisenhower of the USA

proposes that the vote be given to all 18-year-olds in the country., UK security forces in Kenya mount the biggest round-up of Mau Mau terrorist suspects in the 18-month-old state of emergency., The government of Thailand offers bases to Western countries from which to fight communism in southeast Asia., US President Eisenhower says he will prevent Senator McCarthy from investigating the CIA for communist infiltrators., Marilyn Monroe marries US ex-baseball player Joe DiMaggio., Frank Sinatra, star of the US film From Here to Eternity, wins an Oscar for best actor, One of two famous brothers who pioneered the cinema, Auguste Lumière dies in Lyon, France, aged 91., Mississippi-born singer Elvis Presley records his first single in the USA. That's All Right Mama, The USA launches the first nuclear powered submarine, Nautilus, The first electronic computer is put into regular operation by a UK business., The Japanese crew of the Lucky Dragon suffer radiation sickness after US H-bomb tests at Bikini Atoll., The tomb of Pharaoh Sankhet which dates from 2750 BC, is uncovered at Sakkara in Egypt., In Geneva, it is agreed that Vietnam will be divided along the 17th Parallel, with the communists controlling the north., The UN officially withdraws from Korea, one year after the ceasefire was signed at Panmunjon., Over 1,000 people are feared dead, and an estimated 36,000 are homeless, as a huge earthquake hits Algeria, in South Africa, the prime minister Johannes Strijdom calls for the imposition of stricter apartheid laws., World heavyweight boxer Rocky Marciano beats Ezzard Charles for his 47th consecutive victory in the USA, French painter Henri Matisse, one of the leaders of the colourful Fauvist art movement, dies aged 84., US writer Ernest Hemingway, author of A Farewell to Arms, wins the Nobel Prize for Literature, UK runner Roger Bannister retires from athletics to devote himself to his medical practice, UK firm Rolls-Royce announces it has developed a vertical take-off jet, nicknamed the "Flying Bedstead"., A Scandinavian airline begins the first passenger flights to over the North Pole., The US National Cancer Institute claims a link between cancer and cigarette smoking., The USS Forestal is the first aircraft carrier to be built that has an angled flight deck and more.

FIFTIES TOYS AND GAMES:Hoop mania are Wooden hoops, Mechanical tin toys, Tiny trucks, Playing at soldiers are Action Man and GI Joe, Barbie, Inspired science-fiction are toy rocket ship, Flying objects are flying discs, Flying saucer with flashing lights and more.

1955:Goodbye Charlie Parker, Albert Einstein dies, Marilyn Monroe´s strikes a famous pose and new movie The Seven-Year Itch, Disneyland, James Dean dies,

Flying saucers are UFO (Unidentified Flying Object), The Shark is Citroën DS, Ace the Bat-Hound, Black Fury (character), Black Knight (Marvel Comics), Black Knight (Sir Percy), Chick Bill, Femlin, Forbush Man, Freddy (comic strip), Grandpa (comics), Gunsmoke Western, Jeff Hawke, Hijitus, Ric Hochet, Jommeke, Kid Marvelman, Krypto, Lance (comic strip), Martian Manhunter, Modeste et Pompon, Mordred (comics), Morgan le Fay (Marvel Comics), Nonna Abelarda, Pon Pon, Rawhide Kid, Silent Knight, Viking Prince, Young Marvelman, Michigan J. Frog debuts in One Froggy Evening, Maggie and Sam, Timmy Brisby´s 30th Anniversary, Alfred Hitchcock Presents, The Honeymooners, Kermit the Frog debuts in Sam and Friends, Captain Kangaroo, Mr. Mouse Takes a Trip to the City from Warner Bros Cartoons, A Fox and a Hound from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, Lady and the Tramp from Walt Disney and more are all released,Rebel Without a Cause, Nikita Khrushchev emerges as the new leader of the USSR, replacing Georgi Malenkov., Floods in New South Wales. Australia, kill 200 people and 300,000 sheep, and leave 44.000 people homeless., The Warsaw Pact is signed by all the communist countries of eastern Europe to form a new military alliance, The Allied high commission, which has held sovereignty since the war, abolishes itself and gives sovereignty to West Germany., French fashion designer Christian Dior's spring collection introduces the A-line skirt., US actor Marlon Brando wins an Oscar for his performance as Terry Molloy in the film On the Waterfront., In France, three cars plough into the crowd at the Le Mans race track, killing 80, US high jumper Charles Dumas is the first person ever to clear 2 m (7 ft)., RCA demonstrates a new music "synthesizer" in New York, USA, The WHO (World Health Organization) says that atomic waste poses a serious health risk., In the UK, archaeologists confirm that fossilized "Piltdown Man" was a complete hoax., Kanchenjunga in the Himalayas, the highest unclimbed peak, is conquered by a UK team.,to Mongolia and Japan., French cyclist Louison Bobet becomes the first man to win the Tour de France three times., Turkish-born UK oil magnate Calouste Gulbenkian dies, leaving millions for art and charity., Canadian swimmer Marilyn Bell, aged 17, is the youngest person to swim the Channel, Nobel prize-winning German novelist Thomas Mann dies in Switzerland., The world's most eminent scientists sign a declaration condemning nuclear warfare., UK's Donald Campbell is the first to exceed 320 km/h (200 mph) in his turbo-jet hydroplane Bluebird., In the UK, MG Cars unveils a popular new sports model, the MG.A., In the UK the BBC demonstrates colour TV at Alexandra Palace, London, UK., The first European TV commercial, Colorful modeling clay for infants is developed, James Dean stars in the hit film East of Eden, Ain´t That a Shame by Fats Domino is one of

the first rock songs, Bill Haley´s Rock Around the Clock is the first international rock hit, McDonald´s Fast Food restaurants open across in the USA, Mediterranean Holidays become popular, ITV (Independent Television), The Blackboard Jungle was launched and more.

1956:US bus boycott, Prince Rainier of Monaco marries beautiful American movie queen was Grace, Night of Sunflowers is painted by Emil Nolde, Suez Canal seized, Uprising in Hungary, Perfect pitching in the Baseball World Series was The New York Yankees pitcher Don Larson, Screen goddess was Brigitte Bardot and the new movie was And Got Created Woman, Television Española was launched, The Red Balloon, The Ten Commandments, Giant, Seven Wonders of the World, High Society, The Velveteen Rabbit and The Adventures of Sniffles the Mouse are from Warner Bros Cartoons, The Three Dog Musketeers and Timmy Brisby´s Big Time Adventures (Package movie) from Turner Entertainment Cartoons and more are released, Deduce You Say with Daffy and Porky, Giant (1956 movie), Flintheart Glomgold debuts, Associated Artists Productions, As the World Turns, Capitan Trueno debuts, Baby Crockett, Batman Junior, Battler Britton, Batwoman (Kathy Kane), Chief Parker, Carol Day, Flash (Barry Allen), Ginger (comics), Johnny Reb and Billy Yank (comic strip), Gil Jourdan, Little Archie, Little Helper, Jet-Ace Logan, Mad Hatter (DC Comics), Lew Moxon, Mr. Muscles, Nature Boy (comics), Pop, Dick and Harry, Ricardo (comics), Sugar and Spike, Timmy the Timid Ghost, Topo (DC Comics), Jolyon Wagg, Iris West, Jimmy Woo, Yellow Claw (character), The Honey-Mousers from Warner Bros. Cartoons, The Mole (Krtek), Rodan, Forbidden Planet, The Price is Right, Hey, Jeannie!, The Adventures of Sir Lancelot, The Steve Allen Show, Colonel Bleep, The Sudan, Africa, is declared an independent republic, ending the joint Anglo-Egyptian administration, The US and UK governments sign a declaration warning developing countries against Soviet aid., Pakistan is proclaimed an Islamic republic, with Major-General Iskander Mirza its first
president., Soviet leader Khrushchev denounces Stalin as a brutal and criminal murderer in a speech to the Communist Party élite., UK author AA Milne famous for his stories about Winnie-the-Pooh, dies aged 74., The seventh winter Olympic Games open with a flourish in Cortina d'Ampezzo in Italy., US world heavyweight boxing champion Rocky Marciano retires after 49 fights and 49 wins., Austrian conductor Herbert von Karajan becomes the artistic director of the Vienna State Opera., In the UK, the Astronomer Royal dismisses the idea of Space travel as bilge, In Chicago, USA, a device that records TV programmes onto tape is first demonstrated., The USA drops an H-bomb from a plane for the first time, over Bikini Atoll in the Pacific, In France, Teflon Co markets a Teflon-coated frying pan as the first non-stick Kitchenware, The USSR and Japan agree to end their state of war, in place since World War II, and to restore full diplomatic relations., In Egypt, Anglo-French forces bomb the Suez Canal area after the UN calls for a ban on the use of force by its members., Anglo-French forces move into Egypt and seize control of the Suez Canal zone from the Egyptians., The UN imposes a ceasefire on the Anglo-French allies, and sends troops into Egypt to control the canal., German dramatist Bertolt Brecht, whose work included The Threepenny Opera, dies in Berlin aged 58., In the US, Elvis Presley performs live on the Ed Sullivan Show, viewed by 82% of the potential audience., The Bill Haley film Rock Around the Clock causes "Teddy Boys" to tiot in UK cinemas., Italy now has the greatest number of cinemas in Europe - more than 17,000., Generating begins at Calder Hall in the UK, the world's first large-scale atomic power station., US air force pilot Kincheloc flies a Bell X-2 rocket aeroplane to an altitude of 38,376 m (125,907 ft)., Clarence Birdseye, inventor of a process for deep-freezing food, dies in the USA, Work begins on an engineering marvel - the Kariba High Dam in Rhodesia, Heartbreak Hotel is the first big hit for Elvis, Be-Bop-a-Lula by Gene Vincent and the Blue Caps is released, Classic Fifites Western The Searchers stars John Wayne, Around the World in Eighty Days is a star-studded box-office hit and more.

ROCK ´N´ROLL:Bill Haley the rock pioneer, Elvis Presley, New grooves, Star singles, Jailhouse Rock by Elvis Presley, The rock ´n´roll poet is Chuck Berry, Elvis is the King was Heartbreak Hotel, Jailhouse Rock, All Shook Up, Teddy Bear, Rock ´n´ roll style, Jumping jukeboxes are Wurlitzer Jukebox, Little Richard is the wild man sings Tutti Frutti, Electric guitar, Buddy Holly the hit writer and more.

1957:An ace for Althea Gibson, West Side Story, The Cat in the Hat, Formula One Champion is Juan Manuel Fangio, Andy Capp, Billy the Kid (Charlton Comics), Cirkeline, Cocco Bill, Ernie Pike, The Eternaut, Gaston LaGaffe, Hora Cero, Hot Stuff the Little Devil, Humbug (magazine), It's Only a Game, Martin Luther King and the Montgomery Story, Mary Perkins, On Stage, Michel Vaillant, Miss Peach, Pancho López (comics), Le Petit Noël, Prudence Petitpas, The Sharkfighters (comics), Sir Bagby, Stumbo the Giant, Tytus, Romek i A'Tomek, Stumbo the Giant, Ralph Phillips debuts in Boyhood Daze, An Adventure in Space from Warner Bros. Cartoons, Fun and Musical Toons from Turner Entertainment Cartoons and more all release, Pepito Chickeeto, Windy and Breezy, Viruta y Capulina, Shari Lewis and Lamb Chop, Leave It to Beaver, Hanna-Barbera´s

first TV series was The Ruff and Reddy Show, Tom Terrific debuts, 12 Angry Men, John Doormat debuts, Sayonara, Don´t Go Near the Water, The Bridge on the River Kwai, In the UK, Harold Macmillan becomes prime minister when Anthony Eden resigns, Six nations - France, West Germany, Italy, Belgium, Holland, and Luxembourg -set up the European Common Market., After 170 years of UK rule, Malaya achieves its independence and elects its first president, Abdul Rahman, Dr François Duvalier, popularly called "Papa Doc" by the people of Haiti, is elected president of that country., US film star Humphrey Bogart, tough, cool hero of over 50 movies, dies aged 57, US star Burt Lancaster is legendary lawman Wyatt Earp in the film Gimfight at the OK Corral., US comedian Oliver Hardy, the plump half of the comedy duo Laurel and Hardy, dies aged 65., Finnish composer Jean Sibelius, probably most famous for his Seventh Symphony, dies aged 91., Danish architect Joern Utzon is to be the designer of the Sydney Opera House, Australia., The first portable electric typewriter is marketed by Smith Corona of Syracuse in the US., The USSR launches Sputnik I, the first artificial satellite to go into space., A dog called Laika is the first animal to be sent into space aboard the Soviet spacecraft Lunik II., That´ll be The Day is the first hit for composer Buddy Holly, The Flying Saucer Frisbee is released, The Vietcong rebel against South Vietnamese Government and more.

1958:Elvis Presley signs up for the army, President de Gaulle, Brazilian magic wons the Sixth World Cup was Pete, James Bond debuts, Mortadelo and Filemon debuts, The Smurfs (Les Schtroumpfs) debuts, B.C. (comic strip), Betsy and Me, The Big Country (comics), Brother Juniper (comic strip), Bunty, Colonel Blink, Cosmo the Merry Martian, Cracked (magazine), La familia Trapisonda, Gil Thorp, El Jabato, Jonah (Comics), Legion of Super-Heroes, Mirko and Slavko, Oumpah-pah debuts, Red Dart, Rick O'Shay, Sardath, Sky Masters, Sylvester P. Smythe, The Strange World of Mr. Mum, Strange Worlds, Adam Strange, Gil Thorp, Uncle Choi, Le Vieux Nick et Barbe-Noire, To Itch His Own with Mighty Angelo, The Big Fair from Warner Bros Cartoons, Jimmy the Fox from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, Paul Bunyan from Walt Disney and more are released, Peter Gunn, Yogi Bear, Boo-Boo Bear, Huckleberry Hound, Pixie and Dixie and Mr. Jinks are debuts, Gabby Gator debuts, Alvin and the Chipmunks debuts, Inspector Willoughby debuts, Speed Racer debuts, Auntie Mame, Cat on a Hot Tin Roof, Vertigo, In Algeria, 40.000 French settlers riot against the deal the French government have made with the Algerian nationalists., Greek-Cypriot leader Makarios rejects the UK peace plan for Cyprus: clashes with the Turkish-Cypriots on the island continue., Two years after the Hungarian uprising, former prime minister Imre Nagy is executed, causing much anger., King Faisal 11, the crown prince, and Iraq's prime minister are murdered in an army coup and a republic is formed, In France the first collection of 23-year-old couturier Yves St Laurent is a great success., In Germany, eight of the UK's Manchester United football team are killed in a plane crash, West Indian cricketer Gary Sobers scores a record 365 runs playing against Pakistan, Australian runner Herb Elliot breaks two world records for the mile and 1.500 metres, The USA launches its first satellite, Explorer I, from the launch pad at Cape Canaveral in Florida., US nuclear submarine Nautilus makes the first undersea voyage beneath the North Pole., The USSR agrees to lend money to President Nasset of Egypt to build the Aswan Dam., The world's largest oil tanker, able to carry 1.021,000 barrels, is launched in Japan, First Passenger Jets Speed Up International Travel, Women´s magazines multiply as readership grows, Release of Summertime Blues by Rebel Eddie Cochran, Hoop craze takes off on both sides of the atlantic, Plastic building blocks by LEGO are hugely popular and more.

1959:Fidel Castro the new leader for Cuba, The notorious Teddy Boys, The Dalai Lima flees Tibet, New miniature car is launched, Twenty-One is the great quiz TV gameshow, Antarctica is saved, Bob Morane debuts, Asterix debuts, Monica´s Gang (Turma da Monica) debuts, Pilote, Supergirl, Air Hawk and the Flying Doctors, Beppo (comics), Boule et Bill, Clifton, Goodman Beaver, Harvey Kurtzman's Jungle Book, The Hotspur, The Nebbishes, The Perishers, Poor Arnold's Almanac, Pugacioff, Redbeard, Space Museum (comics), Stoker the Broker, Turma do Pererê, Tales of Suspense, Tales to Astonish, Tanguy et Laverdure, The Three Bears (comic strip), Deputy Dawg debuts, Blacque Jacque Shellacque debuts in Bonanza Bunny, The 400 Blows, Ben-Hur, Hashimoto-San, Hickory, Dickory and Doc, Hector Heathcote, Loopy de Loop, Slowpoke Rodriguez debuts in Mexicali Shmoes, Count Dracula the Vampire Duck from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, Around the World in 80 Days with Animals from Warner Bros. Cartoons, Donald in Mathmagic Land and Sleeping Beauty from Walt Disney and more are all released, Quick Draw McGraw, Baba Looey, Augie Doggie and Doggie Daddy, Snooper and Blabber, Rocky and Bullwinkle, Mister Peabody and Sherman and Clutch Cargo are debuts, Bonanza, Rawhide,North by Northwest, The Twilight Zone, In North America, Alaska becomes the 49th, and the largest, state in the USA, Over 3,000 people are reported dead after a hurricane hits the island of Madagascar of the east coast of Africa, Cuban revolutionary leader Fidel Castro says the USA can keep its naval base at Guantanamo Bay in Cuba., In Dublin, 76-year-old Éamon de Valera, three times prime minister of the Republic of Ireland, becomes president, US movie mogul Cecil B de Mille, famous for his epic films, dies aged 77, Rock singing legend Buddy Holly dies in a plane crash in Iowa. USA, aged 22., Marilyn Monroe, Jack Lemmon and Tony Curtis

star in the US film Some Like It Hot, US thriller writer Raymond Chandler, creator of detective Philip Marlowe, dies aged 70., The Soviet Luenik I spacecraft flies past the Moon into orbit around the Sun., The St Lawrence Seaway linking the Great Lakes to the Atlantic Ocean opens in the USA, US architect Frank Lloyd Wright, master of innovative building design, dies aged 89., The UK's Jodrell Bank radio telescope transmits radio messages to the USA via the Moon, The volcanic islands of Hawaii in the central Pacific Ocean become the 50th state of the USA., Ceylon's prime minister Solomon Bandaranaike dies from wounds after being shot by a Buddhist monk., In Havana, Cuba, Major Emesto "Che" Guevara, Castro's right-hand man, becomes head of the Cuban national bank., Archbishop Makarios, leader of the Greek Orthodox church, becomes first president of the new republic of Cyprus, US singer Billie Holiday, one of the greatest voices of jazz, dies at the age of 44, US sculptor Sir Jacob Epstein, who lived most of his life in London, UK, dies aged 79., Soviet leader Khrushchev is angry when, for security reasons, he cannot visit Disneyland on his USA tout., UK actor Errol Flynn, famous for his swashbuckling roles in adventure movies, dies aged 50., Australian airline Quantas makes its first flight across the Pacific from Sydney to the USA., In the UK, a hovercraft makes a first sea crossing between England and France., The USSR's space probe, Lunik II, scores the first direct hit on the surface of the Moon, The Soviet Lunak Ill sends back the first-ever photographs of the dark side of the Moon, Day-Glo Plastic yo-yos are all the rage and more.

THE LEISURE BOOM:Watersports, Family holidays, Taking five by household appliances, shopping in the new supermarkets, Leisurewear, Sunshine holidays, On the beach, It´s a strike! like cinemas, dance halls, bingo clubs, bowling alleys and more.

1960:Sharpeville massacre, Capital of Hope in Brazil, Champions of Europe - Again!, Historic votes cast in Ceylon, Psycho,Spartacus, African man´s marathon feat on the 1960 Olympics, Presidential debate live on TV in USA was Kennedy and Nixon prepare to do battle,Abominable Snowman (comics), Amazo, Aqualad, Arrowette, Atomic Knight, Benny Breakiron (Benoît Brisefer), Bristow (cartoon), Buster Capp, Captain Atom, Captain Boomerang, Snapper Carr, Cave Carson, Chondu the Mystic, Clock King, Colonel Crackpot's Circus, Corporal Clott, Despero, Dummy (DC Comics), Fraser of Africa, Garth (comics), Groot, Guardians of the Universe, Star Hawkins, Professor Ivo, Jimmy Five, Judy, Justice League, Thomas Kalmaku, Master Khan, Kite Man, Lyla Lerrol, Mr. Rossi, Multi-Man, Reep Daggle, Sea Devils (comics), Starro, Stoker the Broker, Streaky the Supercat, Trickster (comics), Weapons Master, Zebra-Man, Ocean´s 11, Butterfield 8, The Swiss Family Robinson, The Alamo, The Magnificent Seven, Fatso the Bear debuts, Courageous Cat and Minute Mouse, Hokey Wolf and The Flintstones are both debuts, Fatso the Bear debuts, Snip and Snap, Two Robbers in Crime from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, Sherlock Holmes from Warner Bros. Cartoons, Goliath II and This is Your Life, Donald Duck are both from Walt Disney, The Apartment and more are released, Coronation Street, My Three Sons, The Andy Griffith Show, The Bugs Bunny Show, In Egypt, President Nasser lays the foundation stone of the Aswan High Dam as work begins., An earthquake, followed by a tidal wave and widespread fire kills over 12.000 in the Moroccan resort of Agadir., Adolph Eichmann, the German SS officer who masterminded Hitler's "Final Solution is captured by the Israelis., The UK and Italian-ruled Somaliland territories gain their independence, uniting to form Somalia on 1 July., Algerian-born French writer Albert Camus, author of The Outsider, dies aged 46., The eighth Winter Olympics opens in Squaw Valley, USA, with a ceremony staged by Walt Disney, Joy Adamson's Bom Free, the true story of Elsa, an African lioness, is published, In the USA, William Wyler's film Ben Hur wins a record 11 Oscars., Israeli archaeologists unearth 1,700-year-old Biblical parchment scrolls., The Jodrell Bank Telescope in the UK contacts a US satellite 655,000 km (409,375 miles away., The first weather satellite, Tiros 1. sends pictures of the USA from a height of 724 km (453 miles), The world's longest liner, the SS France, is launched in France by Madame de Gaulle., In the Congo, Africa, Colonel Mobutu leads the Congolese army into mutiny against incumbent President Lumumba., Fidel Castro nationalists all US-owned property in Cuba in retaliation for what he considers "US economic aggression":, The UK's largest colony Nigeria gains its independence under Prime Minister Balewa, and joins the Commonwealth., Thousands of people die in east Pakistan as the country is battered by a tidal wave and hurricane., In the UK, Donald Campbell successfully takes his new £1 million Bluebird car for its first test run., Australian Jack Brabham hecomes the new Formula One champion after winning the Portuguese grand prix., US sprinter Wilma Rudolph, once a polio victim, wins an amazing three Olympic golds., UK jury rules that DH Lawrence's Lady Chatterley's Louer is not an obscene book, US submarine George Washington launches Polaris nuclear missiles for the first time., The USA puts the world's first communications satellite Echo I into orbit round the Earth., Ten skeletons are discovered by archaeologists in 3,800-year-old graves at Stonehenge in the UK, in the UK, Hawker Siddeley's P. 1227 vertical take-off aircraft is tested, Sharpeville massacre results in 93 Black deaths and more.

1961:John Fitzgerald Kennedy the youngest US president was sworn in, Bay of Pigs invasion, Ham is the first chimp in space in the USSR, A new wall divides Berlin, World Wide Federation (WWF) founded, Jaguar Elegant E-type, 13, Rue del Percebe, Amy

(comic strip), Apartment 3-G, Bimbo, Bobo (Belgian comic), Matt Braddock, The Cavern Clan, Cheriya Manushyarum Valiya Lokavum, Chuck Billy 'n' Folks, Commando (comics), The Fantastic Four debuts, Frontiers of Science, Health Capsules, June (comics), The Lighter Side of..., Lionel's Kingdom, Spy vs. Spy, Winker Watson, Wolf of Kabul, Hugo the Abominable Snowman debuts in The Abominable Snow Rabbit, Ludwig Von Drake debuts, Magica de Spell debuts in The Midas Touch, Mothra, The Biker Penguins from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, Stupor Duck from Warner Bros Cartoons, 101 Dalmatians from Walt Disney and more are all released, Mothra, Top Cat debuts, Snagglepuss and Yakky Doodle debuts, Car 54 Where Are You?, Wide World of Sports, The Dick Van Dyke Show, Westside Story (movie), In New Delhi, India, the Russian Orthodox Church is elected to the World Council of Churches., The US government announces it is increasing aid to the Laos government in its fight against the Pathet Lao communists., In New York in the USA, the UN votes 83-0 in favour of censuring South Africa for its racial policy of apartheid, Iraq lays claim to Kuwait, after the UK officially ends its protectorate over the small oil-rich sheikdom in the Middle East., US novelist Dashiell Hammett, author of The Maltese Falcon, dies aged 66., UK conductor Sir Thomas Beecham, founder of the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, dies., South African golfer Gary Player wins the US masters championship by a single stroke., The leading male dancer with the Soviet Kirov Ballet, Rudolf Nureyev, defects in Paris, France., In the UK, the one millionth Morris Minor rolls off the production line., UK anthropologist Dr Louis Leakey finds human fossils possibly one million years old in the USA, The USSR's Yuri Gagarin orbits the Earth, and becomes the first man in space., The USA puts a man in space, and Kennedy claims that they will be first to the Moon, JUL Jomo Kenyatta is released after nine years of detention for his involvement with the Kenyan Mau Mau organization, Sweden take to the streets to mourn Dag Hammarskjöld, secretary-general of the UN, who died in a plane crash, In the USSR's de-Stalinization campaign. Lenin's mausoleum is re-opened after Stalin's body is removed., in South Vietnam, James Davies has the dubious honour of being the first US soldier to be killed by Vietcong., US author Ernest Hemingway dies at the age of 61 from a selfinflicted shotgun wound., Twenty-year-old US folk singer Bob Dylan inspires audiences in New York's famous Greenwich Village, James Thurber, the wellknown US comic writer and illustrator, dies at the age of 66., France launches a bathyscape to explore the 10,363-m (34,000-ft) Kurile Pit, an ocean chasm off Japan., The earliest surviving Roman mosaics in the UK are found at Fishbourne in southern England., US and UK governments call for a ban on all nuclear testing inside the Earth's atmosphere., Lt Col Robinson flies a Phantom II at a record speed of 2,568.81 km/h (1.605.51 mph), Vostok I is the First Manned Space Expedition and more.

1962:Algeria independent, Pop Art was Andy Warhol´s soup cans and Roy Lichtenstein´s giant comic-strip cartoon frames, Marilyn Monroe is found dead today in her last film was The Misfits, Swan´s song for the world´s birds is Rachel Carson the Scientist, Licensed to Kill was Dr No. Agent James Bond 007, Back from the brink of a nuclear war, Love Me Do is the first single by The Beatles, The first TV Satellite Telstar 1 is launched in USA, Metal Men debuts, Sabrina the Teenage Witch debuts, Spider-Man debuts, Art's Gallery, Atom (Ray Palmer), Barbarella (character), Belvedere (comic strip), Ben Casey, Boban and Molly, Diabolik, Dr. No (comics), Fort Wheeling, The Incredible Hulk debuts, Iznogoud debuts, Jerom, Karaoğlan, Kelly's Eye, Kona, Monarch of Monster Isle, Little Annie Fanny, Het Manneke, Metal Men, Mort Cinder, The Numskulls, Old Master Q, Space Family Robinson, The Steel Claw (comics), The Suicide Six, Thor (Marvel Comics) debuts, Valiant (comics), Wonder Wart-Hog, Lawrence of Arabia, Zatoichi, Rowlf the Dog debuts, Wally Gator, Touché Turtle and Dum Dum, Lippy the Lion and Hardy Har Har and The Jetsons are debuts, Timmy Brisby´s Disaster Adventure (package animated movie) and Benny the Brave Boy from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, Porky Pig´s Summer Adventures (package animated movie), The Funniest Greyhound and Gay Purr-ee from Warner Bros Cartoons, Ducking Disaster with Donald and his Friends from Walt Disney and more are released, To Kill a Mockingbird, The Berry Family debuts, The Beverly Hillbillies, The Manchurian Candidate, The Lucy Show, UK and US representatives walk out of talks about nuclear test ban treaties with the USSR., AS US fears mount about the stockpiling of missiles, President Kennedy imposes an embargo on the import of all Cuban goods., The OAS secret army of French settlers steps up its terror campaign in Algeria to prevent independence., Nazi war criminal Adolf Eichmann, former SS colonel, is executed in Israel 24 months after his capture by Israeli agents., New Zealander Peter Snell breaks the world mile record in 3 mins 54.4 secs., In Hollywood, USA, the film of the hit musical West Side Story wins ten Oscars., In Chile, Brazil retain the soccer World Cup, beating Czechoslovakia with a 3-1 victory in the final., US singer Stevie Wonder, who is only 12 years old, hits the top of the charts in the USA, Astronaut John Glenn becomes the first American to orbit the Earth, In Paris, France, 130 men, women and children die when an Air France Boeing 707 crashes., The European Space Research Organization is established in Paris, France., After a brief civil war and elections, ruling council president Ahmed Ben Bella proclaims Algeria a socialist republic, Amnesty International, an organization set up to investigate the abuse of human rights all around the world, is formed., The first African-dominated government is formed in Northern

Rhodesia under statesman Kenneth Kaunda, President Kennedy lifts the Cuban arms blockade and calls for an emergency phone link with the Soviet Kremlin., Nobel prize-winning Swiss author Hermann Hesse, who wrote Steppenwolf, dies aged 85, How the West Was Won, a US film featuring a buffalo stampede and Indian attack, is filmed in Cinerama, John Steinbeck, US author of Of Mice and Men, wins Nobel literature prise., Gregory Peck stars in To Kill a Mockingbird, a film about racism in the USA, The tunnel linking France and Italy under Mont Blanc in the Alps is completed., In the USA the Mariner II space probe is launched towards Venus, In the UK, the world's first passenger hovercraft service completes a successful 3-month run., US space probe Mariner II sends back the first close-up pictures of the planet Venus, Nelson Mandela is arrested and more.

1963:Soviets put first woman in space was Valentina Tereshkova, Wild adventure is Where the Wild Things Are, I have a dream was Black civil rights leader Dr. Martin Luther King, Kennedy assassinated in Dallas, A nation mourns to Jackie Kennedy´s death, Valentina Tereshkova first woman in Space, USSR, The Avengers, Iron Man debuts, S.H.I.E.L.D., X-Men debuts, Doctor Stange debuts, Achille Talon, The Aliens (comics), The Avengers (comic book), Berry's World, Blueberry (comics), Boys' World, Bug-a-Booo, Captain Barbell, El botones Sacarino, Fred Basset, The Funnies (Monica's Gang), Horacio's World, Hornet (DC Thomson), Josie and the Pussycats (comics), Magnus, Robot Fighter, Modesty Blaise, Génial Olivier, Paulus the woodgnome, Sgt. Fury and his Howling Commandos, The Tribe (Monica's Gang), Trudy (comics), Voltar (comics), Zig et Puce, The Pink Panther debuts in the film and later into animated cartoons, The Nutty Professor, Magilla Gorilla, Punkin´Puss and Mushmouse, Ricochet Rabbit and Droop-a-Long, Tennessee Tuxedo debuts, How the West Was Won, It´s a Mad, Mad, Mad, Mad World, The Unmentionables with Bugs Bunny, Tom the Brave Cat from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, The Animals in Pet Control from Warner Bros. Cartoons, The Sword in the Stone from Walt Disney and more are released, Calimero debuts, The Outer Limits, The Patty Duke Show, Doctor Who, Willy Brandt is re-elected as mavor of West Berlin, Germany, with an overwhelming majority, John Profumo, the UK's secretary of war, claims "no impropriety" in his relationship with 21-year-old Christine Keeler., Jomo Kenyatta is elected Kenya's premier in the country's first general election in the lead-up to independence., Giovanni Battista Montini is elected Pope Paul VI, succeeding Pope John XXIII who has died aged 81., A tennis racquet made of steel is patented by Lacoste in France., UK group The Beatles release their first album, named after their hit single, Please Please Me., David Lean's 1962 epic film Lawrence of Arabia wins seven Oscars, including best picture., After cast and director changes the most expensive film to date Cleopatra comes to the big screen., In the UK, surgeons at Leeds Infirmary announce a successful kidney transplant., The first automatically controlled underground trains are introduced in London, UK, US astronaut Major Cooper lands in the Pacific after 22 orbits of the Earth in his Mercury capsule., A telephone hotline is set up for the first time between the White House and the Kremlin, In the UK's greatest train robbery ever, £2.6 million in used banknotes is stolen from the Glasgow to London mail train., Four girls are killed and 23 people injured when a bomb explodes in a church service in Alabama, USA, A volcano erupts on the ocean floor, producing the new island of Surtsey, off the south coast of Iceland, Lyndon Baines Johnson is sworn in as the 36th president of the USA aboard the aircraft Air Force I., Scottish driver Jim Clark becomes the youngest Formula One champion, French singer Edith Piaf whose anthem was Je Ne Regrette Rien, dies aged 74., Jean Cocteau, the French playwright, artist, poet, and novelist, dies aged 74.,UK author Aldous Huxley, who wrote Brave New World, dies aged 69, The first-ever Channel crossing by hydrofoil is made, between Belgium and the UK., In New Zealand, doctors give the world's first blood transfusion to an unborn child, In the UK, a model of the Anglo-French Concorde supersonic plane is displayed., Viking remains found in Canada are dated at 500 years before Columbus and more.

1964:Cassius Clay beats Sonny Liston, Equal rights at last was President Lyndon B. Johnson, Life in prison for Nelson Mandela, The Supremes sings Where Did Our Love Go and Baby Love, Japanese trains fly like a bullet, Kenya becomes a republic, Cool cowboy in spaghetti Western was A Fistful of Dollars, the 1964 New York World´s Fair, Mafalda debuts, Akwas, Anacleto, agente secreto, Archie and Me, Barbarella (character), Barry McKenzie, Billy Whizz, Blue Beetle, Blue Beetle (comic book), Brotherhood of Evil, Charlie Peace (comics), Harry Chess, Creepy (magazine), Daredevil (Marvel Comics series), Daredevil (Marvel Comics character), Gai-Luron, God Nose, Hawkman, Herbie Popnecker, Indrajal Comics, Jack Murdock (comics), Jackie (magazine), Odd Bodkins, Rompetechos, Sad Sad Sack World, Satanik, Sarge Steel, Tiffany Jones, Wham! (comics), The Wizard of Id, Xal-Kor the Human Cat, Dr. Strangelove debuts, Bartholomew versus the Wheel, Gilligan´s Island, The Munsters, My Fair Lady, Mary Poppins (movie), A Shot in the Dark, Bewitched, Underdog debuts, Anteojito debuts, Musical Frolics from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, His Wacky Adventures from Warner Bros Cartoons and more are released, Peyton Place, Peter Potamus and So-So, Breezily and Sneezy, Yippee, Yappee and Yahooey are debuts, Johnny Quest debuts, La Familia Telerin debuts, UN troops fly into Cyprus to attempt to keep the warring Greek and Turkish Cypriots apart., Ian Smith becomes prime minister of Southern Rhodesia; he

favours a unilateral declaration of independence against the UK., Jawaharlal Nehru, beloved prime minister of India since the country became independent in 1947. dies aged 74., Lal Bahadur Shastri, the former minister for home affairs, is sworn in as India's new prime minister in Delhi., The Beatles fly into Kennedy Airport, New York, USA, to an ecstatic reception, Sidney Poitier is the first black US male to win an Oscar for his performance in the film Lilies of the Field, UK rock group The Rolling Stones shock the Montreux Festival with their dishevelled" appearance,, Canadian-born tycoon and powerful newspaper magnate Lord Beaverbrook dies aged 85., The UK and France agree to build a tunnel under the Channel to link them., West German pilot Geraldine Mock is the first woman to complete a solo round-the-world flight., In Egypt, the course of the Nile is diverted so the next stage of the Aswan Dam can start., Soviet leader Khrushchev admits that the USSR uses its satellites to spy on other countries' activities., President Johnson says the USA will take all necessary action against the communist regime in North Vietnam., At the age of 70. Soviet leader Nikita Khrushchev is deposed in favour of Leonid Brezhnev and Alexei Kosygin., US campaigner for black civil rights, Dr Martin Luther King, who favours non-violent protest, is awarded the Nobel Peace Prize., China explodes its first
A-bomb, becoming the fifth nuclear power along with the USA, USSR, UK, and France., South Africa is banned by the Olympic committee from the Tokyo Olympics for its apartheid policies., UK writer Ian Fleming, creator of the hit series of books about fictional spy James Bond, dies aged 56., In the Olympics, Australian swimmer Dawn Fraser, aged 27 retains her 100-m freestyle title., US composer and lyricist of musical comedies, Cole Porter, dies aged 67, US satellite Ranger VII sends the first close-up pictures of the surface of the Moon back to Earth., Europe's longest suspension bridge, the Forth Road Bridge, is opened in Scotland, UK., The world's longest suspension bridge, the Verrazano-Narrows Bridge, opens in New York, USA, UK´s Donald Campbell sets a world water speed record of 442.13 km/h (276,33 mph), Vidal Sassoon creates sharp new hairstyles and more.
THE RACE TO THE MOON:Space dog was The soviets sent a a dog was Laika, Lunar probe was Luna 9, Vostok 1, Yuri Gagarin the first in space, Apollo command module was Apollo 1, Saturn V, One small step was Neil Armstrong, Space programme, Apollo 11 and more.

1965:Flyaway eagle Goldie escapes into the park, USA enters conflict, Oscar-winning magic musical was Mary Poppins, British Empire honors Beatles,
UNICEF wins peace prize, The Modernists are the Vespa is the italian scooters, My Generation by the Who becomes a youth anthem, UK Designer Mary Quant introduces the Mini-Skirt, The Rolling Stones release Satisfaction, Alexei Leonex, First to Walk in Space, USSR, Geminis 6 and 7, First to Rendezvous in Space, USA, The Sound of Music, The Great Race, What´s New Pussycat?, Blazing Combat, The Born Loser, Captain Atom, Cattivik, Betty Cooper, Demoniak (comics), Les Dingodossiers, Eek & Meek, Enemy Ace, Fritz the Cat, Girighiz, Hangman (Archie Comics), The House of Dolmann, Kalimán, Linus (magazine), Lobo (Dell Comics), Metamorpho, Mighty Crusaders, Moose & Molly, Neutron (Linus), Nick Fury, Agent of S.H.I.E.L.D. (comic book), Nick Fury, Agent of, S.H.I.E.L.D. (feature), Pelle Svanslös, Pellefant, Philémon (comics), Ranger (magazine), Sadik (comics), Sibylline, Sophie (comics), Sparky (comics), The Spider (British comics),T.H.U.N.D.E.R. Agents, Tales of the Green Beret, Tiger (comic strip),Tiny Tony,The Trigan Empire,True Classroom Flubs and Fluffs,Tumbleweeds (comic strip),TV Century 21,Valentina (comics), Wee Pals, Roger Ramjet debuts, Secret Squirrel debuts, Atom Ant debuts, Precious Pupp debuts, Squiddly Diddly debuts, Windsome Witch debuts, The Hillbilly Bears debuts, The Inspector and Sergeant Deux-Deux, Doctor Zhivago, Thunderbirds, Kimba the White Lion, Milton the Monster, Nudnik debuts, Lost in Space, Green Acres, Gidget, I Spy, Get Smart, I Dream of Jeannie, The Super Duper Funniest Comedies and The Super Robot Heroine Girl are both the world first DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer´s full-length animated movie, Timmy Brisby´s Spring Adventure from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, Bugs Bunny´s New Cartoon Adventures (package movie) from Warner Bros and more are released, The Magic Roundabout, UK statesman and inspirational wartime prime minister Sir Winston Churchill dies aged 90., Franco's blockade of Gibraltar, designed to force the UK to give the Rock" back to Spain, begins to take effect., The shah of Persia survives an assassination attempt in Teheran, but three of his entourage are killed., Queen Elizabeth II dedicates an acre of ground in the UK to the memory of assassinated US President Kennedy., Australian runner Ron Clarke breaks the 5,000-m world record, Zoo-keepers in London, UK, capture Goldie the eagle after his two weeks of freedom., Rodgers and Hammerstein's hit musical The Sound of Music is made into a captivating film., The oldest footballer in Europe, the UK's Sir Stanley Matthews, retires aged 50., In the UK, the onemillionth Mini comes off the production line., Soviet cosmonaut Colonel Alexei Leonov becomes the first man to walk in space., Two new communications satellites are launched; the US Early Bird and Soviet Moluna-1., In Canada, the de Havilland DHC-6 Twin Otter makes its maiden flight., China signs various agreements with North Vietnam on economic and technical matters., In the USA, race riots flare in an area of Los Angeles, with 28 people reported

dead and 676 injured., The Argentine foreign minister restates his country's claim on the UK-ruled Falkland Islands to the United Nations., In Manila, with his wife by his side, Ferdinand Marcos is swom in as sixth president of the Philippines., In the Swiss Alps, Madame Vaucher is the first woman to climb the mighty Matterhorn., UK photographer David Bailey marries French film star Catherine Deneuve, US film-maker Walt Disney announces plans for a second Disneyland in Florida, USA., Mikhail Sholokhov, Soviet author of Quiet Flows the Don, wins the Nobel Prize for Literature, Mariner IV, launched from the USA last November, sends back pictures of Mars., The Swiss-born architect Le Corbusier, known for his avant garde style buildings, dies aged 77., A 1440 Viking map is found showing the Americas, 50 years before Columbus sailed there., Two manned US Gemini spacecraft achieve the first rendezvous in space, US writer Allen Ginsberg coins the phrase Flower Power, US Sends in first ground combat troops as war escalates and more.

THE SWINGING SIXTIES:Let´s Twist! is Let´s Twist Again sung by Chubby Checker, French chick is Francoise Hardy, Beatlemania, The Fab Four are the Beatles, Less is more is Vidal Sassoon hairstyle, False eyelashes, Mary Quant, Twiggy, Stepping out are high-heeled, knee or thigh-length boots, Mick and Mariane, The Mini and more.

1966:India elects a new prime minister was Mrs. Indira Gandhi, Breznhev emerges as new Soviet leader, The Sound of Music wins best movie for Oscars Awards, Cultural revolution in China, School buried in Wales, First vertical take-off and landing aircraft was The Hawker Siddeley Harrier, Statues moved, The Adventures of Jodelle, Agent 327, Bamse, Bernard Prince, Bunny (Harvey Comics), Captain Boom, Captain Marvel (M. F. Enterprises), Comandante Mark, Dial H for Hero, Dracula (Dell Comics), Eerie, Fighting American, Frankenstein (Dell Comics), Gesebel, Ghostly Tales, Golden Legacy, Grimly Feendish, Isabella (comics), Jigsaw (Harvey Comics), Judomaster,, Killing (comics), King Comics, Ted Kord, Lady Penelope (comic), Lone Sloane, Lúpin, Nguyen Charlie, Pepe Gotera y Otilio, Pippin (comics), The Seekers (comics), Smash! (comics), Spyman, Stanley and His Monster, Swing with Scooter, Teen Titans, Theophilus (comic strip), This Man... This Monster!, Peter Cannon, Thunderbolt, Werewolf (Dell Comics), Winthrop (comic strip), Witzend, The Dot and the Line, Frankenstein Jr. debuts, The Impossibles, Star Trek, The Monkees, Space Ghost debuts, The Mighty Heroes, Cool McCool, Hollywood Squares, Rocket Robin Hood, A Man for All Seasons, Winnie the Pooh into Disney Cartoons, Bugs Bunny´s Wonderful Tales (Package movie) from Warner Bros. Cartoons, The Last Pegasus (1966) from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, The Brave Little Puppy, A Fox from Heaven, The Adventures of Tom Sawyer, The Legend of the Swiss Family Robinson, The Adventures of Robinson Crusoe and Medieval Fox and Dogs are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer and more are released, The Super Six, Walt Disney dies, Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?, The Beatles´s Yellow Submarine, Fethry Duck debuts, In Accra, over 1.000 political prisoners are freed as an army coup topples Ghana's president Nkrumah., Eamon de Valera, known as "Dev". is elected president of Ireland for the second time, at the age of 83., James Meredith, the first black student admitted to the University of Mississippi. USA, in 1962, is shot on a civil rights march., US bombers hit fuel tanks in a raid over Hanoi, the first time that they have directly attacked the North Vietnamese capital, US actor Buster Keaton, the stone-faced comedy star of silent movies, dies aged 70., USSR novelists Andrey Sinyavsky and Yuri Daniel are imprisoned for "slandering the state", Legendary US folk singer Bob Dylan shocks audiences in London, UK, by playing the electric guitar., England beats West Germany 4-2 in the football World Cup final played in the UK., Pictures from the Soviet spacecraft Lund 9 show the Moon's surface to be solid, US astronauts Neil Armstong and David Scott achieve the first successful space docking in Gemini 8., A missing US H-bomb, lost after a mid-air collision, is found in the Atlantic off the Spanish coast., The US unmanned Surveyor spacecraft is the first craft to land on the Moon., Dr Hendrik Verwoerd, prime minister of South Africa, is assassinated by a parliamentary messenger in the House of Assembly, After the worst storms in Italy for over 1,000 years, the death toll is rising and there is "incalculable" loss to the nation's art heritage, In China, the Red Guard demand the dismissal of the Chinese heads of state Lui Shaopi and Deng Xiaoping., UK PM Harold Wilson and Ian Smith, leader of the rebel Rhodesian regime, meet for discussions, US runner Jim Ryun smashes the world mile record by 2.3 secs, running it in 3 mins 51.3 secs., Australian Jack Brabham is the first to win the world drivers championship in his own car., The Davis Cup for tennis remains with Australia for the third year after they beat India in the final, Soviet spacecraft Luna 11 goes into orbit around the Moon and sends data back to Earth., US Limar Orbiter I goes into orbit around the Moon and sends back pictures of the dark side., US Gemini 12, the last Gemini two person mission, is crewed by Buzz Aldrin and James Lovell., Soviet probe Luna 13 lands on the Moon and sends back data about the soil, Heyday of Pop-Playing Pirate Radio Stations, Football World Cup Final in UK is watched by 600 millions and more.

1967:Bluebird takes final dive, Muhammad Ali refuses draft, American football´s first champion showdown, The Jungle Book the final animated movie by Walt Disney, The Six-Day War, Surrealist master Magritte dead, Revolutionary hero killed was Ernesto ¨Ché¨ Guevara, Moby Duck debuts, Animal Crackers (comic strip), Billy the Cat

(British comics) ,Blue Beetle, Blue Beetle (comic book), Bully Beef and Chips, Captain Kate, Captain Klutz, Cheech Wizard, The Cloggies, Deadman (comics), Fantastic (comics), Fatman the Human Flying Saucer, Ghost Rider (comic book), It Happened in Canada, Kapitan Żbik, Luc Orient, Corto Maltese, Mandy (comics), The Many Ghosts of Doctor Graves, Marvel Super-Heroes (comics), Mr. A, Mr. Natural (character),Nippur de Lagash, Not Brand Echh, Peacemaker (comics), Pow! (comics), Princess Tina, Pup Parade, Redeye (comics), Saga de Xam, Snoid, Storia del West, Strange Suspense Stories, Terrific (comics), Timmy the Timid Ghost, Valérian and Laureline, Mad Monster Party, Choppy and Princess Knight, George of the Jungle, Super Chicken, Tom Slick, Arsene Lupin debuts, Lupin debuts, The Graduate, The Wacky World of Mother Goose, Professor Balthazar, This is Your Life, Bugs Bunny! from Warner Bros. Cartoons, Timmy Brisby´s Wonderful Brave Mouse Adventures from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, The Saver Squirrels, The Boy and the Donkey, The Fox and the Badger, The Pink Panther and the Inspector´s New Adventures (Package movie) and The Fearless Secret Agent Dog are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer and more are released, Birdman debuts, The Herculoids debuts, Bonnie and Clyde, The Dirty Dozen, The Graduate, Thoroughly Modern Millie, The Carol Burnett Show, Ironside, Mannix, Guess Who's Coming to Dinner,In the Heat of the Night, Love is a Many Splendored Thing, Do Not Adjust Your Set, Captain Scarlett, Skippy the Bush Kangaroo, Cool Cat and Merlin the Magic Mouse debuts from Warner Bros-Seven Arts Cartoons, The USA launches Operation Junction City, its biggest assault against the Vietcong in Vietnam, Svetlana Alliluyeva, daughter of the late Soviet dictator Joseph Stalin, defects from the USSR to the West., In a military coup in Greece, Colonel Papadopoulos seizes power from the democratic government., Colonel Ojukwu of the lho people proclaims the eastern region of Nigeria as the independent republic of Biafra, In the UK, fans run wild as US made-for-TV pop group The Monkees arrive on tour., US film star Judy Garland announces her return to the screen in The Valley of the Dolls, Barefoot UK singer Sandie Shaw wins the Eurovision Song Contest with Puppet on a String., US film star Spencer Tracy, who has just completed Guess Who's Commg to Dinner, dies aged 67., US astronauts Ed White, Gus Grissom, and Roger Chaffc die in a ground test fire, US nuclear scientist Robert Oppenheimer, head of the team that created the atom bomb, dies aged 62., In France, President de Gaulle launches the first French nuclear submarine, China detonates its first H-Bomb in Xiang Jang, a remote area of southwest China., In Africa, European and US citizens flee Biafra as Nigerian troops step up their attack on the breakaway eastern region, Race riots break out in dozens of US cities. Two people have died and thousands have been reported injured., 175,000 Arab refugees are repatriated to occupied land in the Middle East in a scheme agreed by Israel and Jordan., Australia's prime minister, Harold Holt, drowns while swimming near his holiday home in Portsea, Victoria, The latest Beatles album, Sergeant Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band, is a hit worldwide, The Beatles' manager Brian Epstein is found dead after taking an overdose., US singer for peace Joan Baez is arrested at an anti-Vietnam war protest in California, USA., US actor Dustin Hoffman stars in the film The Graduate about a young man alienated from society., A lightweight aluminium baby buggy is designed in the UK by Owen Finlay Maclaren., UK, France, and West Germany sign an agreement to co-operate on an "Airbus" airliner, US biochemist Casimir Funk, the inventor of the now widely used term "vitamin", dies aged 83, The first heart transplant is successfully performed by Dr Christiaan Barnard in South Africa, US boxer Muhammad Ali refuses to fight in Vietnam War, TBS launched by Ted Turner and more.

THE TELEVISION AGE:For all the family like The Addams Family and The Munsters, World wildlife, Soap operas, Television sets, Chat shows like The Tonight Show with Johnny Carson, Televised sport, Television cartoon, Where no man has gone before…, is Star Trek Sesame Street and more.

1968:2001:A Space Odyssey, King dies, but dream lives on is Martin Luther King´s funeral, Paris students riot, Another Kennedy gunned down, The Beatles´s Yellow Submarine into animated movie, Czechs under siege, Bob Beamon leaps into record books, Paris students march for Educational and social reforms, Vietcong launch major new year offensive, The Fabulous Furry Freak Brothers, Silver Surfer, The Adventures of Pussycat, African Film (magazine), Angelfood McSpade, Atom (Ray Palmer), The Belles of St. Lemons, Beware the Creeper, Bijou Funnies, Bobo (magazine), Boner's Ark, Brother Power the Geek, Captain America (comic book), Captain Marvel (Marvel Comics), Captain Savage and his Leatherneck Raiders, The Checkered Demon, Cobalt 60 (comics), Cubitus, Dateline: Danger!, En Patufet, Evita, vida y obra de Eva Perón, The Fabulous Furry Freak Brothers, Feds 'N' Heads, Fishboy (comics), Ghost Manor (comics), Hawk and Dove, Kake (comics), Keep On Truckin' (comics), Bat Lash,Leave It to Binky, The Lockhorns, Luther (comic strip), Maxmagnus, The Mighty Marvel Western, Nick Fury, Agent of S.H.I.E.L.D. (1968

series), Nick Fury, Agent of S.H.I.E.L.D. (comic book), Phantom Eagle, Rubrique-à-Brac, Sally Forth (Wally Wood comic strip), Secret Six (comics), Snappy Sammy Smoot, Lance Spearman ,Spoofer McGraw, Stanley and His Monster, Sturmtruppen, Sub-Mariner, Trashman (character), Les Tuniques Bleues, Twinkle (comics), The Unexpected (1968 comic book), Vader & Zoon, Vida del Che, Yellow Dog (comics), Zap Comix, Ziggy (comic strip), Zorry Kid, Zuckerkandl!, Oliver!, Planet of the Apes, The Odd Couple, Yours, Mine and Ours, Bullitt, Dick Dastardly, Muttley, Peter Perfect, Penelope Pitstop, The Ant Hill Mob and more are debuts in Wacky Races, 60 Minutes, Hawaii Five-0, The Love Bug, Dad´s Army, Roland and Rattfink debuts, Chatty Chatty Bang Bang, The Banana Splits, The Happiest Millionaire, Two Dogs and a Christmas Baby from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, Timmy Brisby´s TV shorts, TV specials and modern shorts (1968-present),Two Creatures and a Human from Warner Bros Cartoons, The Vampire Fox, Roland and Ratfink´s 1st Movie, Meet the Fruit Fellas, Louie the Dolphin and Friends, Tod the Swordfighter Jackal, The Four Muskejackals and Around the World in 80 Days are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer and more are released., The Czechoslovak Communist Party chooses a new "liberal leader in 46-year-old Alexander Dubcek., The North Koreans refuse to release the US spy ship Pueblo, captured last month within their boundaries., Soviet cosmonaut and first man in space, Yuri Gagarin. is killed in a jet aeroplane crash outside Moscow at the age of 34., Thousands riot in West Germany following the attempted murder of left-wing student leader Rudi Dutschke., In London, UK, fans flock to The Beatles' new venture - an Apple clothes boutique, French skier Jean-Claude Killy wins three golds at the winter Olympics in Grenoble., In the USA, the Oscar ceremony is postponed for 48 hours in memory of Martin Luther King., US millionaire oil tycoon Robert McCullough buys London Bridge for a bargain 1 pounds million, In South Africa, Dr Christiaan Barnard performs a second heart transplant., The UK Royal Navy's first Polaris missile is tested successfully in the Atlantic, In the USA, Lockheed presents the world's largest aircraft to date, the Galaxy., Five and ten pence coins are introduced to the UK in preparation for decimalization., US and North Vietnamese diplomats meet in Paris, France to discuss the settingup of talks to end the war in Vietnam, James Earl Ray, wanted by the FBI in the USA for the murder of Dr Martin Luther King, is arrested in London, UK, In three capitals London, Moscow, and Washington - 36 nations sign a nuclear non-proliferation treaty., Pope John Paul arrives in Colombia for the first visit by a pope to Latin America., Helen Keller, US author and worldwide campaigner for handicapped people, dies aged 88., In New York, US "pop" artist Andy Warhol is shot and seriously injured by writer Valerie Solanas., Australian Rod Laver wins the first Wimbledon open championships, collecting his third Wimbledon title., South African cricketer Colin Bland is refused UK entry because of his Rhodesian passport., The UK's first successful heart transplant operation is performed at a hospital in London., In the USA, Roy Jacuzzi markets the first whirlpool baths called Jacuzzi Roman Baths., German nuclear physicist and winner of the Nobel Prize for Physics Outo Hahn dies aged 89., A Channel hovercraft service opens between Dover in the UK and Boulogne in France, In Iran, at least 11,000 people are reported to have died in a series of earthquakes lasting two days., Jackie Kennedy, widow of assassinated US president John F Kennedy, marries Greek business executive Aristotle Onassis., During their medal ceremony at the Mexico Olympics, US athletes Tommy Smith and John Carlos give the "Black Power" salute., Republican Richard Nixon narrowly beats Democrat Hubert Humphrey in the US elections to become the 37th president., The cast of the musical Hair are the first to appear naked on a stage in the UK., At the Olympic Games in Mexico, US athlete Al Oerter wins his fourth gold in the discus event., UK writer Enid Blyton, creator of the children's characters the "Famous Five", dies aged 71., US writer John Steinbeck, winner of the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1962, dies aged 66., Over 500 UK women have tried the new epidural anaesthesia in The USA launches Apollo 7. the first manned Apollo craft, to prepare for a Moon landing., The UK's Queen Elizabeth, the world's largest ocean liner, completes her final passenger voyage., US spacecraft Apollo 8 is launched in the USA, en route for a manned lunar orbit and more.
1969:Israel´s new PM, John Lennon and Yoko Ono protest in comfort, Supersonic Concorde takes off, Four nations tie for top spot in popular Eurovision song contest, US Moon landing is seen live on TV all over the world, US Film Easy Rider symbolizes alternative youth culture, Huge peace and Music festival at Woodstock, USA, Biggest ever Anti-Vietnam war demo in Washington, USA, Man on the Moon, Troops into Ireland, Long and Short of It, Woodstock festival attracts thousands, No Red Cross help for Biafra, Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid, Alan Ford (comics), Chamber of Darkness, Comanche (comic book series), Čtyřlístek, Date with Debbi, Dikan, Doraemon, Drusilla (DC Comics), Fat Freddy's Cat, From Beyond the Unknown, Gothic Blimp Works, Heroes, Inc. Presents Cannon, House of Secrets (DC Comics), Isabelle (comics), Jacula (comics), Janus Stark, Lotpot, Muriel a andělé, Muriel a oranžová smrt, Odd Ball (comic strip), Paperinik, Pif Gadget, Poem Strip, Puss 'n' Boots (comics), Rahan (comics), Re di Picche, Scarth A.D. 2195, Shiner (comics), Sid's Snake, Squadron Sinister, That Wilkin Boy, Tower of Shadows, Vampirella, Varoomshka, Vartan (comics), Whizzer and Chips,

The Witching Hour (DC Comics), Wonder Girl, Eye of the Cat, The Ant and the Aardvark debuts, Tijuana Toads debuts, Scooby-Doo debuts, Dallas the Swordfighter Dingo debuts, Pero the Cat debuts, Sesame Street debuts, Big City Adventure from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, The Little Girl and the Giant Man the final Warner Bros. Classic Animation movie, The Super 6 Movie, A Man Who Turned Into a Cheetah, The Ant and the Aardvark´s 1st Movie with Tijuana Toads too (1969), The Saver Squirrels in Australia, The Russian Gerbil Went to America and A Cat in Hollywood are from DePatie Freleng/ United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer and more are released, It´s Tough to be a Bird from Walt Disney, Cattanooga Cats, Around the World in 79 Days, The Wild Bunch, It´s the Wolf!, Motormouse and Autocat, Midnight Cowboy, Fat Albert debuts, Nu Pogodi! debuts, H.R. Pufnstuf, The Johnny Cash Show, The Brady Bunch, Monty Python´s Flying Circus, The Benny Hill Show, El Pais de la Fantasia (Herta Frankel), Violence erupts in Derry, Northern Ireland, between Catholic and Protestant communities, in Prague, Jan Palach dies after setting fire to himself in protest against the Soviet invasion., In Cairo, Yassir Arafat, a dynamic resistance leader, is appointed head of the Palestine Liberation Organization (PLO)., French president Charles de Gaulle resigns at the age of 78, after losing a constitutional referendum., Sir Learie Constantine, the West Indies cricketer, becomes the UK's first black life peer., Paul McCartney of UK pop group The Beatles marries US photographer Linda Eastman, US actress Katherine Hepburn wins a record third Best Actress Oscar for her role in The Lion in Winter, UK sailor Robin KnoxJohnston, wins the single-handed round-the-world yacht race., In the USA, NASA chooses Neil Armstrong and Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin for the first Moon landing., Human eggs are fertilized in a test tube for the first time at Cambridge University, UK., US spacecraft Apollo 9 splashes down safely in the Pacific after the first test of the lunar module., UK engineers Booker and McConnell set up a prize fund for UK and Commonwealth fiction., Over 1,000 civilians are detained in Czechoslovakia, following two days of arrests., US President Nixon suggests that US, Allied, and North Vietnamese troops withdraw from South Vietnam, In Spain, General Franco closes the land frontier with Gibraltar in an attempt to cripple the UK colony., In the UK, Conservative politician Enoch Powell calls for the repatriation of black immigrants., The UK's Graham Hill wins the Monaco grand prix for a record fitth time., US actress and singer Judy Garland, who played Dorothy in The Wizard of Oz, dies aged 47., Brazilian soccer star Pelé, considered the greatest footballer of the age, scores his 1.000th goal., The Rolling Stones play a free concert in London, UK, in memory of drowned guitarist Brian Jones., Soviet probe Venera 5 sends back data about Venus before crashing on the planet., The manned US Apollo 10 orbits the Moon, as a rehearsal for the planned Moon landing in July, High-grade crude oil is found on the borders of the UK and Norwegian sectors of the North Sea, The US space probe Mariner 6 sends back the first close-up pictures of the surface of the planet Mars., SEP In Czechoslovakia, the Communist Party expels former leader Alexander Dubcek from its praesidium, or ruling body, North Vietnamese president Ho Chi Minh dies aged 79. while the war against the USA and South Vietnam continues, In Libya, a group of revolutionary army officers, led by Muammar Gadhafi, seize power while King Idris is in Turkey., in Germany, Willy Brandt becomes chancellor, the first Social Democrat to be elected for 39 years., Jack Kerouac, the US novelist, Beat poet, and author of On the Road, dies at the age of 47., South African rugby team the Springboks begin a UK tour, sparking anti-apartheid protests., US actress Barbra Streisand stars in the smash hit musical Hello Dolly directed by Gene Kelly,, The Nobel Prize for Literature is awarded to Irish poet and piaywright Samuel Beckett, In the UK, the P&O ferry line announces that after 130 years it will cease passenger services to India., Supersonic Concorde 001 breaks the sound barrier, to the joy of new French President Pompidou., In Australia, the world's longest straight-track railway is opened, from Ooldea to Nurina, An Asian influenza epidemic sweeps the UK, and hundreds of people die and more.

PEACE AND PROTEST:Flower power, Black power, All You Need is Love, Give Peace a Chance, Songs of protest are Bob Dylan and Joan Baez sings Blowin in the Wind, Woodstock music festival, At the barricades, Psychedelic art, Hippies, The lure of the East and more.

1970:Boeing 747 the first jumbo jet lands at Heathrow, King Hussein and Yassir Araft sign truce, Apollo 13 splashes down in Pacific, Adventure into Fear, All-Star Western, Astonishing Tales, Billy's Boots, Broom-Hilda, Commissario Spada, Conan the Barbarian (comics), Conchy, Cor!!, Cyclops (magazine), Doonesbury, Elpidio Valdés, Friday Foster, Half Hitch (comic strip), It Ain't Me, Babe (comics), Ivor Lott and Tony Broke, Jack, Jacky and the Juniors, Momma, Natacha (comics),Oriental Heroes, Outlaw Kid, Projunior, Provolino, Quincy (comic strip), Sammy (comics), Scorcher (magazine), Slow Death, Teacher's Pet (comics), Tina's Pals, Tricky Dicky (Cor!!), Western Gunfighters, Whacky, The Wizard (DC Thomson), Yoko Tsuno, Young Lust (comics), Zio Boris, Woodstock, Patton, The Owl and the Pussycat, Cinderella in the Late 50´s and The Phantom Tollbooth are both the final two animated movies from Turner Entertainment Cartoons, The Pink Panther and Friends in Pinktasia (Package movie), The Ant and The Aardvark´s New Adventures (Package movie), Hercules the Bear, The Russian Gerbil Wents to the Wild West, The Pink Panther and Friends´s Great Adventures (Package movie) and A Koala Who Saved the Down Under are from

DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, The Aristocats from Walt Disney and more are released, Santa and the Three Bears, The Groovie Goolies debuts, The Odd Couple becomes the TV series, The Partridge Family, M.A.S.H., Mr. Benn, Barbapapa debuts,
National guardsmen shoot dead four anti-war demonstrators at Kent State University, USA, After the death of Gamal Abdel Nasser, Anwar Sadat, who is expected to take a more moderate line, becomes president of Egypt., Charles de Gaulle, leader of the Free French in World War II and president of France 1958-69, dies aged 79., 150,000 people are feared dead after a typhoon and tidal wave devastate east Pakistan; other countries send aid., Paul McCartney issues a writ in the UK to dissolve the business. The Beatles and Co"., A few days after performing at a festival, superstar guitarist Jimi Hendrix, aged 27. dies from a drug overdose, Australian Margaret Court wins the "Grand Slam", taking all four major world tennis tournaments., Cinemas in Paris, France, close for one day as a sign of respect for General Charles de Gaulle., The first pacemaker driven by a nuclear battery is used at the National Heart Hospital, UK, UK company British Petroleum (BP) announces the first major oil find in the UK sector of the North Sea., The supersonic arrliner Concorde travels at twice the speed of sound for the first time., The Soviet probe Venera 7 becomes the first spacecraft to land on the planet Venus., First women made generals in the US Army, Simon & Garfunkel top the Album Charts and more.
1971:Aswan High Dam is opened, Idi Amin takes president´s oath, Hot pants, Walt Disney World, Women in Switzerland are the last in Europe to gain the vote, TV Sitcom The Partridge Family is a hit, Air Pirates, Boney (comics), Chacha Chaudhary, Countdown (comic strip), Countdown (Polystyle Publications), Dirty Duck (character), Faceache, Forbidden Tales of Dark Mansion, Forever People, The Fosdyke Saga, Fuss Pot, De Generaal (comics), Ghost Manor (comics), Ghostly Haunts, Ghosts (comics), Gianconiglio, Grandpa (comics),Hamster Jovial, Haunted (comics), Hell-Rider, Home Grown Funnies, Joker (comic strip), Jonny Logan, Knockout (UK comics),Larry Yuma, Lucifera, The McTickles, The Menomonee Falls Gazette, Mister Miracle, New Gods, Octobriana, Ot el bruixot, Pursuit of the Puzzler, Savage Tales, Tammy (comics), Weird War Tales, Zippy the Pinhead, Swamp Thing, Billy Jack,The Last Picture Show, Fiddler on the Roof, A Clockwork Orange,The French Connection, Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory, The Adult Brave Little Puppy, The Inspector and Roland and Rattfink´s Secret Adventures (Package movie), The Pink Panther and Friends´s Summer Adventures (Package movie) and Kids in Toyland are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, Bedknobs and Broomsticks, The Jackson Five (TV show), The Electric Company, Masterpiece Theatre, Parkinson, The world´s first videogame was Computer Space, Help! It´s the Hair Bear Bunch! debuts, It is goodbye to pounds, shillings, and pence as the UK introduces decimal currency, confusing many people., Nineteen-year-old Jean-Claude "Baby Doc" Duvalier succeeds his father "Papa Doc" as president of Haiti., The New York Times prints secret Pentagon Papers that reveal US government deception in the Vietnam War., Pakistan surrenders to India after a two-week war and east Pakistan becomes the state of Bangladesh., Rolling Stone Mick Jagger marries Bianca Perez Morena de Macias in France., US singer and trumpeter Louis Armstrong, famous for his jazz solos, dies aged 71., UK yachtsman Chay Blyth completes the first solo voyage around the world in a westerly direction., Scottish singer Rod Stewart tops the albums and singles charts in both the USA and UK, Three USSR cosmonauts, David Scott and James are found dead in their spacecraft to drive on the Moon., Irwin are the first astronauts after visiting Salyut 1 space station., The first combined heart and lung transplant is performed in a South African hospital., US space probe Mariner 9 transmits photos of the planet Mars back to Earth, A computer on a chip, the microprocessor is developed and more.
WAR IN VIETNAM:Ho Chi Minh, US Soldiers´Identity tags, Voices of protest, Peace in Vietnam, Capturing prisoners, Air attacks, The Tet offensive, Coming home, Vietnam on film was Platoon, Effects of war and more.
1972:Bloody Sunday in Ireland, The road to peace was Richard Nixon in China, Ground troops leave Vietnam, 1972 Munich Olympics, Olympics nightmare in Munich by the terrorists, Stepping out like outrageous soles and skyscraper heels are platform shoes, David Bowie and Gary Glitter, Loeki the Lion (Loeki de Leeuw) debuts, Armageddon (underground comic), Baby Face Finlayson, Biancaneve, Binky Brown Meets the Holy Virgin Mary, Buddy Longway, Luke Cage, Chamber of Chills, Claws of the Cat, Combat Kelly and the Deadly Dozen, Death Rattle (comics), Defenders (comics), L'Écho des savanes, Etrigan the Demon, Frank and Ernest (comic strip), Funky Winkerbean, Funny Aminals, Gnorm Gnat, Journey into Mystery, Jungle Action, Kajko and Kokosz, Kelly & Duke, Korak (character), Limited Collectors' Edition, Lips Tullian, Luke Cage, Hero for Hire, Il Mago (magazine),Matches Malone,Midnight Tales, Nick Carter (comic strip), Night Nurse (comics), Ogri, L'Omino Bufo, The Rip Off Review of Western Culture, Sandie (comics), Scrameustache, Secrets of Sinister House,Spire Christian Comics, Superdupont, Supernatural Thrillers, The People's Comics, Tits & Clits Comix, The Tomb of Dracula, Weird Mystery Tales, Weird Western Tales, Weird Worlds (comics), Werewolf by Night, Wimmen's Comix, Zora (vampire), Cabaret, The Godfather, The Ant and the

Aardvark´s Comedy Frolics (Package movie), White Fang, The Pink Panther and the Gang´s Summer Olympics (Package movie) and more are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, The Streets of San Francisco, M.A.S.H., Emmerdale Farm, Kung Fu, The Beachcombers, Fritz the Cat is the first world´s adult animated black comedy film by Ralph Bakshi, Mazinger Z, Battle of the Planets, Alfie Atkins, BRB Internacional establishes, Un, Dos, Tres… Responda Otra Vez with Ruperta the Pumpkin, Direct rule is imposed on Northern Ireland by the UK government, President Nixon steps up the US bombing of Hanoi after communist troops invade South Vietnam, The former UK colony of Ceylon changes its name to Sri Lanka, which means "Resplendent Land"., The Duke of Windsor, who abdicated from the UK throne in 1936, is buried at Frogmore in the UK., The Tate Gallery in London, UK, buys Carl André's "bricks" sculpture, Equivalent 8., The UK's Jockey Club allows women jockeys to compete in horse racing for the first time., The first kidney and pancreatic tissue transplant is carried out in London, UK, The US Pioneer 10 spacecraft blasts off for Jupiter, powered by four nuclear generators., The first video cassette recorder for professional use is introduced in Japan by Sony., US Apollo 16 astronauts drive on the Moon in a special Lunar Roving Vehicle (LRV).,Uganda's dictator Idi Amin announces that 50,000 Asians with UK passports are to be expelled., The USA and the USSR sign a Strategic Arms Limitation Treaty (SALT) to reduce the number of missiles., Republican candidate Richard Nixon wins a second term as president of the USA in a landslide clection victory., UK scientist Richard Leakey displays a 2.6 million-vear-old human skull, found near Lake Rudolf, Kenya, Eddy Merckx of Belgium wins his fourth Tour de France cycling race., US swimmer Mark Spitz wins a record seven gold medals at the Olympics., Bobby Fischer beats Boris Spassky of the USSR to become the first world chess champion from the USA., Soviet gymnast Olga Korbut captivates crowds at the Munich Olympics., The first cable television programme is aired in the UK by Greenwich Cablevision., In the US the first female FBI agents, a former marine and a former nun, are sworn in., Credit cards are introduced in the UK for the first time., Pong, the world's first computer game, is launched in a bar in the USA, Sinclair sells the first microchip pocket calculator and more. 1973:Vietnam peace treaty signed, Tallest tower was Sears Tower, Art world mourns Pablo Picasso dies, Ceasefire at Wounded Knee, Mountain Bike, Kung fu star bows out was Bruce Lee in the film Enter the Dragon, The Green Hornet, Things hot up in Chile, War in Middle East, Blade debuts, Heathcliff debuts, Gli Aristocratici, Barok, Black Magic (comics), Buzz (DC Thomson), Crazy Magazine, Den (comics), Doctor Spektor, Dracula Lives!, Dry Bones (comic strip), E-Man, Les Fabuleux Exploits d'Eddy Merckx, Frankenstein (Marvel Comics), Fu Manchu (Marvel Comics), Le Génie des alpages, Ghost Rider (comic book), Grimly Feendish, Hägar the Horrible, Hansi, the Girl who Loved the Swastika, Haunted Love, Hot Shot Hamish and Mighty Mouse, Sergeant Kirk, Les Frustrés, The Menomonee Falls Guardian, Monsters Unleashed (comics), Pinky (comics), Plop, Prez (comics), Secret Origins, Secrets of Sinister House, Shiver and Shake, Skookum Skool, Strange Tales, Superlópez, Sweeny Toddler, Sweet Tooth (comics), Sword of Sorcery, Tales from the Leather Nun, Tales of the Zombie, Vampire Tales,Wicked Wands, War Is Hell (comics), Worlds Unknown, Yakari, Zombie (comics), The Exorcist, Last Tango in Paris, The Sting, American Graffiti, Hoot Kloot debuts, Schoolhouse Rock! debuts, Speedy Buggy debuts, Jeannie debuts, Inch High Private Eye debuts, The Wombles, Heavy Traffic, Hoot Kloot´s 1st Movie, The Great Fox of the Wild, The Pink Panther and the Gang´s Cartoon Capers (Package movie), How the Ant met the Aardvark (Package movie) and more are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/ Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, Robin Hood the Fox from Walt Disney and more are released, Kojak debuts, The $10,000 Pyramid, The Helgafell volcano in Iceland erupts after lying dormant for nearly 5,000 years., The UK, Ireland, and Denmark are accepted as members of the European Economic Community (EEC). The London Stock Exchange, UK, admits women to the trading floor for the first time after years of campaigning., Four senior White House officials are forced to resign after being implicated in the US Watergate scandal., Joseph and the Technicolor Dreamcoat musical opens in the UK., Sir Noel Coward, popular UK's actor and playwright, dies aged 73, US actor Marlon Brando protests at Hollywood's treatment of native Americans., Tennis stars boycott Wimbledon, UK, over the suspension of a Yugoslav player., Scientists discover that Saturn's rings are made of solid material., The 411 m (1,350-ft) tall World Trade Center in New York, USA, is officially opened, Pioneer II is launched from Cape Kennedy in Florida, USA, on a trip to Jupiter. Skylab, the USA's first orbiting space station, blasts off from Cape Canaveral., A ransom is demanded for Paul Getty III. the teenage grandson of oil tycoon Paul Getty, when he is kidnapped in the USA, War in the Middle East stops after Egypt, Israel, and Syria accept a UN call for a ceasefire., Paul Getty Ill is freed in Italy after his right ear is sent through the post with a ransom demand., The UK goes on a three-day week" as industry grinds to a halt, paralysed by rail. mine, and power station disputes., England beats Australia in the final of the first women's cricket world cup, scoring 279 runs for 3 wickets., UK singer and songwriter Elton John has a number one hit single with Goodbye Yellow Brick Road., UK racing driver Jackie Stewart retires with a record 27 grand prix wins., The first UK legal commercial radio station, LBC. is launched., The world's largest airport opens in Texas, USA, covering 7.082 hectares (17,500 acres).,

The Bosphorus suspension bridge, linking Europe and Asia, is opened, The Sydney Opera House is officially opened in Australia, Two US Skylab astronauts make a record seven-hour space walk, Ceasefire agreement signed in Paris, Last US troops withdraw from Vietnam, Pioneer 10 first space probe to fly and more.

1974:Happy Days with the Fonz, Nike trainer, Record home run for Aaron, Skylab splashes down in Pacific, Patty Hearst joins captors, Scandal and corruption in US was Richard Nixon, Pandas get new home, Metal Hurling debuts, The Bumpkin Billionaires, Comix Book, The Deadly Hands of Kung Fu, Downstown, Het Misdaadmuseum, Jack Palmer (comics), Jinty (comics),Ken Parker (comics), Lupo Alberto, Maghella, Mämmilä, Man-Thing, Marvel Fireside Books, OMAC (Buddy Blank), Papyrus (comics), Paulus the woodgnome, Planet of the Apes (comics), Clive Reston, Richard the Lion, Rog-2000, Sandman (Garrett Sanford), Savage Sword of Conan, Snake Tales, Star Reach, Tank McNamara, Warlord (DC Thomson), Wee Ben Nevis, Whoopee! (comics), Yor the Hunter, Zuma (comics), Blazing Saddles, Chinatown, Airport 1975, Earthquake, The Towering Inferno, The Dogfather debuts, Hong Kong Phooey debuts, Vicky the Viking (Vicky der Wikinger) debuts, Bagpuss debuts, Chapi Chapo debuts, Roobarb debuts, The Dogfather´s Great Adventures (Package movie), The Legend of the Gnomes, Two Bunglers in Crime, A Fox from Heaven 2, The Pink Panther and the Gang´s Funny Adventures (Package movie) and more are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, Little House on the Prairie, Land of the Lost (TV Series), Dunderklumpen!, Petete debuts, Nashville, UK train robber Ronnie Biggs is arrested in Brazil after eightand-a-half years on the run., Soviet author Alexander Solzhenitsyn is exiled after publication of the book The Gulag Archipelago which is critical of the USSR., Prime minister Edward Heath calls a general election in the UK after coal miners vote for an all-out national strike., India carries out its first underground nuclear test, becoming the sixth nation to possess an atom bomb., For the first time in the UK, professional football is played on Sundays, The film The Sting, starring Paul Newman and Robert Redford, wins seven Academy Awards in the US., Shedding clothes is the latest crate as "streakers" run naked on campuses, at sporting events, and even at the Oscars!, Soviet dancer, Mikhail Baryshnikov, aged 26, defects from the Bolshoi baller company while on tour in Canada., A US company develops the airbag, a new safety device for cars, US space probe Mariner 10 takes the first close-up pictures of the surface of the planet Mercury., Bar codes are first introduced on products for sale at the Marsh Supermarket in Troy, Ohio, USA., Scientists warn that the chlorofluorocarbons in aerosols may be damaging the ozone layer., Isabelita Perón becomes president of Argentina, after the death of her husband, Juan Domingo Perón. Emperor of Ethiopia, Haile Selassie, is overthrown and Ethiopia is declared a socialist state., UK police hunt Lord Lucan who disappeared after his children's nanny was found battered to death, IRA terrorists blow up two pubs in Birmingham, UK, killing 17 people and injuring 120., US tennis players Chris Evert and Jimmy Connors win the Wimbledon singles titles in the UK., Beverly Johnson becomes the first black model to appear on the front cover of Vogue magazine, A 13-year-old Egyptian schoolgirl Abla Khairi becomes the youngest person to swim the Channel., Teen group the Bay City Rollers are the latest pop sensation worldwide., A US astronomer discovers the 13th moon of Jupiter and names it Leda, First transmission of Ceefax Teletext, a television information service, takes place in the UK., David Kunst, from the USA, is the first man to have walked around the world, The Altair 880, the first personal computer (PC), is launched in the USA, US Supermarkets introduce bar codes, Mariner 10 space probe flies past venus and mercury and more.

THE FEMINIST FIGHT:Leading the movement, was the National Organization of Women, Spreading the news like Space Rib, First voices of feminism was Simone de Beauvoir´s The Second Sex, Too much to bear was a huge Women´s Liberation March, A global movement, Woman in an age of change, Freedom of dress, Towards greater equality, Young feminist campaigns for equal rights and more.

1975:Saigon falls as Americans withdraw, The killing fields, Solar power boat was Solar Craft 1, Arthur Ashe is Champ, Clay army found, Astronauts meets cosmonauts are Apollo and Soyuz two spacecrafts, Hunting down Carlos the jackal, Don Juan Carlos Borbon y Borbon new reign in Spain, Pterodactyl bones, Civil war in Angola, Video boosts sales of Queen´s Bohemian Rhapsody record, 1st Issue Special, Agent 212, Arcade (comics magazine), Arzach, Avenger (pulp-magazine character), Ball Boy (Beano), Battle Picture Weekly, Beowulf (DC Comics), Big Apple Comix, Captain Canuck, Captain Goodvibes, Cecil C. Addle, Champions (1975 team), Claw the Unconquered, Cougar (Atlas Comics), Cracker (comics), Crock (comic strip), Demon Hunter (comics), Doomsday + 1, Douwe Dabbert, El pecado de Oyuki (comics), Eppo (comics), Farley (comic strip), Fluide Glacial, Franka, Frenchie (comics), Hercules (DC Comics), Herman (comic strip), Inhumans, Invaders (comics), Iron Fist (comic book), The Jocks and the Geordies, The Joker (comic book), Kong the Untamed, The Long Tomorrow (comics), Mister No, Monster Fun, Mummy's Boy, Neil the Horse, Noortje, Peter's Pocket Grandpa, Pimpa, Powerman (comics),Roel Dijkstra,Scary Tales (comics),Lo Sconosciuto, Scorpion (Atlas/Seaboard Comics), Secrets of Haunted House, Skull the Slayer, Stalker (comics), Super-Team Family, Super-Villain Team-Up, Tales of Ghost Castle, Tragg and the Sky Gods, Unknown Worlds of Science Fiction,

The Vagabond of Limbo, Vulcan (Fleetway), X-Ray Specs (comic strip), Yps (comics), Jaws, One Flew Over the Cuckoo´s Nest, The Rocky Horror Picture Show, A Dog of Flanders, Maya the Bee (Die Biene Maja), Coonskin, Bod, Quasi at the Quackadero, Leopold the Cat, Roger Glover´s Love is All, Grape Ape and Mumbly both debuts, Timmy Brisby´s 50th Anniversary, How The Inspector meets Sergeant Deux-Deux, (Package movie), The Motor Biker Penguins, The Kids in Musical Band, The Pink Panther and the Gang´s More Funny Adventures (Package movie) and more are from DePatie Freleng/ United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer are released, Trapito debuts, S.W.A.T., Wheel of Fortune, The Jeffersons, Runaround, Fawlty Towers, Saturday Night Live, Turkish Cypriot leader Rauf Denktash declares Turkish Cyprus independent., Margaret Thatcher wins leadership of the Conservative Party and is the first woman to lead a political party in the UK., In Katmandu, Nepal, 29-year-old King Birendra is crowned as the world's only Hindu and absolute monarch., In Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, King Faisal is assassinated by his mentally deranged nephew, who is later beheaded., In the UK, 85-year-old actor Charlie Chaplin is knighted by Queen Elizabeth, Anatoly Karpov of the USSR becomes the youngest ever world chess champion, aged 23., The musical A Chorus Line, by Kleban and Hamlish, is first performed in the USA, US born music-hall singer and star of the Folies Bergères, Josephine Baker. dies aged 69., The UK abandons the project to connect England and France with a sea tunnel., UK Sir John Huxley, who made important contributions to biology, especially in genetics, dies aged 87., The UK government approves a plan for two new nuclear power stations., Nineteen-year-old Bill Gates forms Microsoft with his friend Paul Allen, in the USA.,In Uganda, a tribunal finds UK author Dennis Hills guilty of "treason" for criticizing the dictator Idi Amin., In Egypt, the Suez Canal re-opens to international maritime traffic for the first time in eight years., Indian prime minister Mrs Indira Gandhi is barred from public office for six years after revelations of electoral corruption, Yitzhak Rabin arrives in Bonn on the first ever visit by an Israeli premier to West Germany, US singer Frank Sinatra wins damages from the UK's BBC over a programme linking him to the Mafia., The UK's leading woman sculptor, Barbara Hepworth, dies in a fire at her studio at St Ives in Cornwall, Brazilian football hero Pelé signs a $7 million three-year contract with the New York Cosmos in the USA, New Zealand athlete John Walker runs the mile in a record breaking 3 minutes 49.4 seconds., Japanese climber Junko Tabei becomes the first woman to scale Mount Everest in the Himalayas., In London, UK, a session of the House of Commons is broadcast live on the radio for the first time., The UK's first North Sea oil flows ashore from a tanker to a British Petroleum refinery in Kent., Soviet probes Venera 9 and Venera 10 transmit the first pictures from the surface of the planet Venus.,Fighting between Christians and Muslims tears apart the Lebanese capital of Beirut, The Soviet dissident and active human rights campaigner Dr Andrei Sakharov wins the Nobel Prize for Peace., The Australian left-wing Labour prime minister Gough Whitlam is dismissed, causing a constitutional crisis., Armed South Moluccan terrorists surrender after a 15-day siege of the Indonesian consulate in Holland., Czech tennis player Martina Navratilova defects to the USA, UK climbers Dougal Haston and Doug Scott conquer the southwest face of Everest., Austrian racing driver Niki Lauda becomes world motor racing champion, Rod Stewart, lead singer of UK group The Faces, announces he is leaving the group to form his own band., Human remains 3.75 million years old are discovered in Tanzania., UK director Ken Russell's Lisztomania is the first feature film in Dolby stereo, The UK's first underwater pipeline for North Sea oil is opened., UK pilot Yvonne Pope is the first woman to captain a jet airline., Film version of the musical Tommy released, Altair is the first small home computer, Junko tabei of Japan is the first woman to scale Mount Everest, Rock Group Queen make the first pop video, War ends as South Vietnam surrenders and more.

1976:New air supersonic super-service, Hostages freed after intrepid raid at Uganda´s Entebbe airport, Soweto uprising, Probe sends pictures of planet Mars, China mourns Chairman Mao, Nadia Comaneci leaps into record books and wins five golds in 1976 Montreal Olympics Games, The 12½p Buytonic Boy, Action (comics), Airtight Garage, Akim (comics), All Star Comics, American Splendor, Bahadur (comics), Big Sleeping, Blitzkrieg (DC Comics), Bloodstar, Bullet (DC Thomson), Captain Britain, Captain Britain Weekly, Cathy, Chester the Molester, DC Super Stars, Eternals (comics), The Extraordinary Adventures of Adèle Blanc-Sec, Footrot Flats, Four-Star Spectacular, Freedom Fighters (comics), Gay Heart Throbs, Howard the Duck, Inside Woody Allen, Isis (DC Comics), Julie Wood, Karate Kid (character), Kobra (DC Comics), Krazy (comics), Léonard (comics), The Leopard from Lime Street, The Magic Comic, Motley's Crew, Nature's Way, Nilus (comics), Nova (Richard Rider), Omega the Unknown, Ragman (character), Roy of the Rovers (comic), Simon du Fleuve, Sjef van Oekel, Starfire (Star Hunters), Torkan, Twisted Sisters (comic), Warlord (DC Comics), Welcome Back, Kotter, Zilverpijl, Rocky, A Star is Born, In Search of Noah´s Ark, Jabberjaw debuts, Dynomutt debuts, Misterjaw debuts, The Muppet Show debuts, Allegro Non Troppo, Jamie and the Magic Torch, Charlton and the Wheelies, Network (1976 movie), Candy Candy, Cosgrove Hall Films establishes, Misterjaw´s 1st Movie, The Masked Phantom Cat, The Pirate Tiger, The Pink Panther and the Gang´s Comedy Frenzy (Package movie) and more are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer are

released, Bugs vs. Daffy: Carnival of the Animals, Taxi Driver, The Gong Show, Laverne & Shirley, Charlie´s Angels,All the President's Men, Multi-Colored Swap Shop, The New Avengers, Curro Jiménez, Chou En-Lai, prime minister of China and second-in-command to Chairman Mao since 1949, dies in Peking aged 78., US newspaper heiress Patty Hearst is found guilty of assisting in an armed robbery with her radical leftist kidnappers., Isabelita Perón, president of Argentina since her husband's death in 1974. is deposed in a bloodless coup by military leaders., The US billionaire recluse Howard Hughes dies after suffering a stroke aboard his private jet., The UK's richest author and "queen of crime fiction" Agatha Christie dies aged 85., German-born artist Max Ernst, leading member of the Surrealist group, dies aged 85., Boxer Muhammad Ali knocks out Richard Dunn in Germany to retain his world heavyweight title, Jockey Lester Piggott wins the Derby at Epsom in the UK, for a record seventh time., Soviet officials admit transmitting microwaves at the US embassy in Moscow., Japanese company Konica launches the first auto-focus camera, Australian scientist Dr Gerald develops a bionic artificial arm with a strong hand grip, In Colorado, USA, the first Shannon develops a bionic artificial women enter the formerly male only Air Force Academy, An accident at a chemical plant near Milan, Italy, releases a huge cloud of poisonous gas., A women's peace movement is launched in Northern Ireland at a rally of 20,000 Protestants and Roman Catholics., in China, Mao's widow and three other people are arrested for plotting to overthrow the government., A major earthquake strikes eastern Turkey, devastating 80 villages and killing 3,000 people., In the UK,
20-year-old Swedish tennis player Björn Borg becomes Wimbledon champion, Austrian-born fim director Fritz Lang, who made Metropolis, M. and The Big Heat, dies aged 86., UK composer Benjamin Britten, the first musician to be created a life peer, dies aged 65., Left-handed cheque books are issued for the first time by a bank in the UK, After nine years' work, biologists in the USA have sucessfully created the first artificial functioning gene., Percy Shaw, the UK inventor of "cat's-eyes", which transformed road safety, dies aged 86., The $16 million National Theatre in London in the UK is officially opened, three years later.,Viking Space probes orbit and land on mars and more.

1977:Art Centre opens was the hi-tech Pompidou National Centre for Art and Culture in the Beaubourg district of Paris, Collision leads to disaster on runway in Canary Islands, More than a puppet is The Muppet Show have television awards, Star Wars, Hydrothermal vents, Maiden voyage was Enterprise the first manned free-flight test of the space shuttle orbiter, Elvis Presley dies in Memphis, Steve Biko is killed, Boat people flee Vietnam, Crowned in glory was Jean Bedel Bokassa, First female jockey rides in the UK Grand National, The Sex Pistols introduce the world to punk, Heavy Metal, Jonah Hex, Judge Dredd, Thorgal, 2000 AD (comics), Bert (comics), Birdman and Chicken, Black Lightning, Black Panther (character), Breakdowns (comics), Cerebus the Aardvark, Cheeky Weekly, La Compagnia della Forca, Agatha Crumm, Eclipse Comics, Exterminator 17, Flesh (comics), Franquin's Last Laugh, John Carter, Warlord of Mars, Judge Dredd, De Kiekeboes, Life in Hell, Logan's Run (comics), Men of War (comics), Ms. Marvel, Mustapha Million, New Gods, Petra Chérie, Plug (comics), Rip Off Comix, Sam and Silo, Sam's Strip, Shade, the Changing Man, Shoe (comic strip), Showcase (comics), Sítio do Picapau Amarelo (comics), Spider-Woman, Star Hawks, Storm (Don Lawrence), Thorgal, Tom-Tom and Nana, Tor (comics), Tricky Dicky (Topper), What If (comics), Wormy (comic strip), Close Encounters of the Third Kind, Smokey and the Bandit, Saturday Night Fever, 20th Century Fox and Ralph Bakshi´s Wizards, Raggedy Ann & Andy: A Musical Adventure is Richard Williams´s first film, Captain Caveman debuts, Officer Otto Fox and Coco Crow debuts, CB Bears debuts, Misterjaw´s 1st Movie, The Brave Little Puppy in a Summer Adventure, The Pink Panther and the Gang´s Comedy Antics (Package movie), Misterjaw´s Aqua Movie (Package Movie) and more are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, The Rescuers and Pete´s Dragon from Walt Disney and more are released, Three´s Company, Pinwheel (later named is Nickelodeon) launches, Dot (Yoram Gross) debuts, Emmet Otter´s Jug-Band Christmas, El monstruo de Sanchezstein, Annie Hall, Des O´Connor Tonight, Convicted killer Gary Gilmore becomes the first person to be sentenced to be executed in the USA in ten years., Charter 77, calling for civil rights for all citizens, is signed by more than 240 scholars in communist Czechoslovakia, Georgia-born ex-peanut farmer Jimmy Carter, the Democrat candidate, is inaugurated as the new president of the USA., Ugandan archbishop Janani Luwum is murdered in the latest wave of killings by President Idi Amin's troops., TV series Roots, by black American Alex Haley, attracts record audiences in the USA, UK punk rock group the Sex Pistols is fired by their record company EMI., Red Rum is the first horse to win the UK's Grand National race three times., Punk music is the latest youth sensation around the world., UK inventor Clive Sinclair introduces a £175 5-cm (2-in) screen television., In the USA, the space shuttle makes its maiden flight on top of a Boeing 747., US company Polaroid demonstrates a new home movies system, Polavision, Quadrophonic broadcasts are started on BBC radio in the UK., Menachem Begin, former leader of a Jewish terror group, is elected Israeli prime minister., Yomo Kenyatta, president of Kenya, bans big game hunting in an effort to conserve the country's wildlife., Silver Jubilee celebrations are held all over the UK to

mark 25 years of Queen Elizabeth II's reign., In Spain's first election for 41 years, Adolfo Suarez, leader of the Democratic Centre coalition, is elected president., The Paris to Istanbul Orient Express makes its final journey after 94 years service., Eleven-year-old Nigel Short of the UK is the youngest competitor in a national chess championship., UK cricketer Geoff Boycott scores his one hundredth century in a cricket match., US comic actor Groucho Marx, famous for his crouching walk, waggling eyebrows, and cigar, dies aged 86., The world's largest particle accelerator is opened in Switzerland, The 1,300-km (808-mile) Transalaska pipeline system begins transporting oil across Alaska,, The Soviet ship Arktika is the first surface vessel ever to reach the North Pole., US space probes Voyager 1 and 2 are launched on journeys to Jupiter and Saturn., The USA and Panama sign the Panama Canal Treaty, in which they agree that the canal zone will return to Panama in 1999., Hostages are rescued by German commandos from a jet hijacked by Palestinian terrorists at Mogadishu airport in Somalia, President Sadat of Egypt visits Israel and addresses the Knesset, the Israeli parliament, Israeli leader Menachem Begin declares that Israel is ready to return Sinai to Egypt, Japanese baseball player Sadaharu Oh beats US Hank Aaron's major league record of 715 home runs, John Travolta stars in the film Saturday Night Fever and the Bee Gees' soundtrack popularizes disco music., Paul McCartney's new group Wings tops the charts with the hit single Mall of Kintyre:, UK comic genius Charlie Chaplin dies at his home in Switzerland, aged 88, Freddie Laker's cut price Skytrain service from London to New York is launched., Supersonic airliner Concorde makes its first flight from Toulouse France, to New York, USA., Soviet spacecraft Soyuz 26 docks with Salyut 6, the orbiting research space station., Heathrow Airport in the UK is the first airport to be connected to a city rail system and more.

SOUNDS OF THE SEVENTIES:Abba win Eurovision, The Jackson Five is the first family of pop, Bob Marley sings Catch a Fire, Reggae superstar, King of Glam like Queen and Elton John, Rock and rollers, Pioneers of electronic pop, The disco era, Punk rock are The Sex Pistols, Takeaway tunes are toot-a-loop, New wave like the Jam, The Police, U2, Blondie and more.

1978:Sea turns black, Test-tube baby was Louise Brown, Garfield debuts,A lot of hot air with travelers are Ben Abruzzo, Larry Newman and Max Anderson, Year of three Popes, Cyanide surprise at Jonestown, Little red book by The People´s Daily, Superman into a movie with Christopher Reeve, Naomi James is the first woman to sail solo round the world, The first phone card is introduced in Paris, France, 1984 (magazine), À Suivre, The Academia Waltz, The Adventures of Luther Arkwright, Anarchy Comics, Axa (comics), Battlestar Galactica (comics), Beau Peep, Bobo (Swedish comics), Bookworm (comics), Inspector Canardo, The Cartoon History of the Universe, Commander Steel, A Contract with God, Devil Dinosaur, Elfquest, Eyebeam (comic strip), Firestorm (character), Martin Stein, Ronnie Raymond (character), The First Kingdom, Genius (comics), Giuseppe Bergman, The Gods from Outer Space, Heroes for Hire, Lazy Bones, Life on Another Planet, Limited Collectors' Edition, Machine Man, Man from Atlantis, Mike, der Taschengeldexperte, Misty (comics), MythAdventures (comics), "Omaha" the Cat Dancer, Pinki (comics), RanXerox, Ro-Busters, Rork, Sabre (Eclipse Comics), Starlord (comics), Strontium Dog, Sukia, Valhalla (comics), Werner (comics), Grease, The Devil and the Daniel Mouse, The Deer Hunter, Watership Down (movie), Wattoo Wattoo, Once Upon a Time… (Il Etait Une Fois…) with Maestro and the Gang debuts, Quaq Quao, El Desman de la Fantasia, Crazylegs Crane debuts, Dinky Dog debuts, Space Invaders, Crazylegs Crane´s 1st Movie, The Pink Panther and the Gang´s Zany Adventures (Package movie), The Legend of Ali Baba, Mutiny on the Bounty and more are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, The Small One from Walt Disney and more are released, Ralph Bakshi´s Lord of the Rings, Battlestar Galactica, WKRP in Cincinnati, Different Strokes, High Hopes, Grange Hill, Newspaper editor Donald Woods escapes from South Africa by swimming across the Tele River, Sweden becomes the first country in the world to han aerosol sprays because of the damage they cause to the environment., Israeli troops attack Palestinian camps in southern Lebanon as an act of revenge for a terrorist attack., The ex-prime minister of Italy, Aldo Moro, is murdered by Red Brigade kidnappers in Rome., The Bee Gees' soundtrack to hit film Saturday Night Fever tops the charts worldwide, After being stolen, Charlie Chaplin's coffin is found buried 16 km (10 miles) from its orginal grave in Switzerland., Yachtswoman Naomi James completes a solo world voyage in a record-breaking 117 days.,Human-like footprints made 3.6 million years ago are found in Tanzania,, A Swiss manufacturer invents and produces a magnetic phonecard for use in a hotel in Paris, France, A Japanese explorer completes the first ever solo trek to the North Pole., Speak and Spell, a speech synthesizer for use as a learning aid, is developed in the USA., Egyptian President Sadar and Israeli Prime Minister Begin sign a peace treaty at Camp David, Maryland, USA., Bulgarian detector Georgi Markov dies after a stranger jabs him with the tip of a poisoned umbrella in London, UK., Golda Meir, the first woman prime minister of Israel, dies aged 80 after suffering from leukaemia for 12 years., Mass protests in Iran call for the abdication of the shah and an end to the military government., Swedish tennis player Björn Borg wins his third consecutive men's singles title at Wimbledon, UK., Blue cartoon characters called the Smurfs top the European pop charts

with their single The Smerf Song,, An eclipse of the Moon is seen by 3,000 Grateful Dead rock, fans at the pyramids of Giza in Egypt., Sid Vicious of the Sex Pistols is charged with murdering his girlfriend Nancy Spungen., The World Health Organization (WHO) announces that smallpox has finally been eradicated worldwide., Two Soviet cosmonauts spend 140 days and 14 hours
in space, setting a space endurance record., Public toilets for dogs open in Paris, France, complete with posts for dogs to cock their legs against.,
Laser-activated videodiscs are launched by Philips/MCA in Atlanta, Georgia, USA and more.
1979:Shah of Iran sent into exile, Rubik´s Cube, Subway angels, Egypt and Israel sign peace treaty, Three Mile nuclear leak, Mass graves in the northeast of Cambodia, Britain gets first woman PM is Margaret Thatcher, Sony Walkman, Nicaraguan victory, Lord Mountbatten is murdered, US hostages held at embassy, Duran Duran, Mother Teresa wins Nobel Peace Prize, USSR invades Afghanistan, The world´s first satellite phone is launched, Voyager 1 Probe flies Past Jupiter then Saturn in 1980, Alien, Ah Pook Is Here, All-Out War (comics), Aria (Belgian comic), Bárbara (comics), Best Buy Comics, The Best of DC, Bobo (Italian comics), Brickman (comic strip), Charley's War, Croc (magazine), The Crunch (comics), Drabble (comic strip), The Duplex Planet, Ernie Pook's Comeek, The Far Side, For Better or For Worse, Galago (magazine), Jackpot (Fleetway comics), Jeremiah (comics), John Darling (comic strip), The Kampung Boy, Kobra (comic book), Latigo (comic strip), Majid (comics), Marzolino Tarantola, Maxwell the Magic Cat, Micronauts (comics), Milly O' Naire and Penny Less, New Gods, Nick Fury, Agent of S.H.I.E.L.D. (comic strip), Panday (comics), Rom the Space Knight, Secrets of Haunted House,Shogun Warriors (comics),Shogun Warriors (toys), Starblazer, Supernatural Law,Tales to Astonish, Time Warp (comics), The Tomb of Dracula, Tornado (comics), The V.C.s, Valhalla (comics), El Víbora, Viz (comics), Rocky II, Apocalypse Now, Star Trek: The Motion Picture, The Muppet Movie, Don Bluth´s first project was Banjo the Woodpile Cat, The Perishers, Casper and the Angels debuts, Doctor Snuggles, Pixar founded, The Bugs Bunny/Road Runner Movie from Warner Bros, The Ant and the Aardvark/The Pink Panther Movie, How Crazylegs Crane met the Dragonfly (package movie), The Inspector and Sergeant Deux-Deux´s Criminal Capers, The Happiest Rooster and more are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer are released., Quacula, The Dukes of Hazard, The Facts of Life, You Can´t Do That on Television, Romie-0 and Julie-8, Heidi debuts, Hallo Spencer, Don Quijote de La Mancha, Sport Billy, Asteroids, Galaxian, Pol Pot's Khmer Rouge regime in Cambodia is overthrown as Vietnamese troops invade., The UK endures a winter of discontent as strikes against a government-imposed 5% pay increase limit cause industrial chaos., The Ayatollah Khomeini victoriously returns to Iran from Paris, France, after 14 years in exile., Idi Amin flees Kampala in the face of the forces of the Tanzanian-backed Uganda Liberation Front., Ex-Sex Pistols member Sid Vicious dies of a heroin overdose in New York, USA., US's Neil Armstrong breaks five world records by soaring to 15,240 m (50,000 ft) in 12 mins in a Learjet., Jean Renoir, French film director and son of the artist, dies aged 86 in Beverly Hills, USA., US film star Lee Marvin's ex-girlfriend sues him in a palimony suit for over $1 million., A digital recording is made by Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra in Austria., A system for transmitting text between computers, called teletext, is introduced in the USA by IBM., US spacecraft Voyager 1 sends back pictures showing that the planet Jupiter has rings., A gardening programme is the first made-for-video pre-recorded tape in the UK., Following a referendum, Iran is declared an Islamic republic by the Ayatollah Khomeini., Zulfikar Ali Bhutto, the deposed premier of Pakistan, is hanged for conspiracy to murder a political opponent., Black leader Bishop Abel Muzorewa is appointed prime minister of Zimbabwe, formerly called Rhodesia., US president Jimmy Carter and Soviet Premier Leonid Brezhnev sign treaty limiting nuclear weapons., Woody Allen's film Manhattan, starring Allen and Diane Keaton is released in the USA., US film star John Wayne (real name Marion Morrison, nicknamed "Duke") dies aged 72., World heavyweight boxing champion Muhammad Ali announces he is to retire., British Rail opens the first Intercity 125 high-speed train service from London to Bristol., UK singer Elton John becomes the first rock star from the West to tour the USSR., The worst air crash in US history occurs when 273 people die in a DC-10 in Chicago., The first Euro-MPs are elected to the European parliament in Strasbourg, France, Ahmed Ben Bella, hero of Algerian independence, is freed after 14 years imprisonment., Islamic leader Ayatollah Khomeini bans the broadcast of pop music in Iran, arguing that it corrupts young people., Although he has effectively been in power since 1968, Saddam Hussein officially becomes president of Iraq., Khmer Rouge leader Pol Pot is sentenced to death for the genocide of the Cambodian people., Spinach-eating cartoon character Popeye the Sailorman celebrates his 50th birthday, UK runner Sebastian Coe sets two new world records for the 800 m and the mile in Oslo, Norway., Eighteen sailors die as Atlantic storms sink 25 Fastnet international race yachts off the coast of Ireland., UK runner Sebastian Coe sets another world record, winning the 1,500 m in 3 min 32.1 secs., The first air-cushioned trainer is developed, based on the landing gear of lunar modules., Two Soviet cosmonauts return to Earth after spending a record 175 days in space orbiting the planet., The Prestel information service in the UK is inaugurated by the national postal service., Two families cross from East to West Germany in a hot air balloon made out of

curtains and sheets.,It is revealed in the UK that the queen's art adviser Sir Anthony Blunt had been a spy for the USSR., Anti-US demonstrators storm the US embassy and raid other US buildings in Islamabad, Pakistan., Saudi Arabian troops storm the Great Mosque at Mecca, which had been occupied by Shi'ite Muslims, An agreement signed in the UK ends white minority rule in Rhodesia, which becomes Zimbabwe, Grete Waitz of Norway wins the New York marathon in the USA and sets a new women's record., Cameras are used to prove that Australian cricket player Jeff Thomson is the fastest test bowler., Box office hit Kramer vs Kramer, starring Dustin Hoffman, brings divorce to the screen, The Nobel Prize for Medicine is awarded to Godfrey Hounsfield, UK inventor of the CAT body scanner., Sir Barnes Neville Wallis, UK inventor of World War II "bouncing bombs", dies aged 92., UK engineers invent a catalytic convertor to reduce pollution caused by car exhaust fumes., The first ever flat-screened pocket television is patented by Japanese company Matsushita and more.

THE MICROCHIP AGE:Magic microchip, Circuit board, Home computing was IBM (International Business Machines), Inventing the Apple Computer Company, Portable video was Camcorders, Moving pictures was sound cards, color graphics and a new system of storing digital data on compact disc, Card calculator, Video games take off like Atari´s Space Invaders, Pac-Man, Mario, Nintendo´s Game Boy, Add it up, Wrist organizer and more.

1980:All that glitters in the Amazon Jungle of Brazil, Rescue bid fails was Operation Eagle Claw dies, Day becomes night in Washington the US state, Abadan on fire as war hots up, Ronald Wilson Reagan lands role in USA, In-line Skating was Scott and Brennan Olson, Who shot J.R? in Dallas, 1980 Moscu Olympics, Bloom Country, The Nikopol Trilogy, Raw (magazine), Ask Shagg, Bananaman,, Boes, Chinese Hero: Tales of the Blood Sword, Fiends of the Eastern Front, La Foire aux immortels, Gay Comix, Hans (comic book), Hizli Gazeteci, Howard Huge, The Incal, Les Innommables, Jesuit Joe, Junior Rotter,Kit 'n' Carlyle, Master Mind (comics), Maus, El Mercenario, Metamorphosis Odyssey, Milady 3000, Moon Knight, Mystery in Space, Nemesis the Warlock, The Nikopol Trilogy, Nutty, Sally Forth (Wally Wood comic strip), Smudge (comics), Stewart the Rat, Tinkle, The Untold Legend of the Batman, World War 3 Illustrated, Yra, Dr. Slump debuts, The Empire Strikes Back, Airplane!, The Blues Brothers, Pac-Man debuts, Popeye (movie), The Pink Pink Pink Pink Panther Movie (package movie), Crazylegs Crane/The Ant and the Aardvark´s Great Adventures (Package movie), The Inspector and The Pink Panther´s Criminal Capers (Package movie), The Nuttiest Squirrel and more are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer are released, The Raccoons are debuts, Animalympics, The King and the Mockingbird, Thunder the Barbarian debuts, 3-2-1 Contact, BBC Children in Need, The Amazing Adventures of Morph, Button Moon, Magnum P.I., Ruy the Little Cid (Ruy el Pequeño Cid), New standards allow fast faxes - A page a minute, Dr. Andrei Sakharov, the USSR'S most prominent dissident, is arrested and exiled., The Islamic Conference, meeting in Islamabad, condemns the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan, More than 100 people die when a North Sea oil platform used as a floating hotel collapses in stormy weather., In El Salvador, 20 people are killed and 200 wounded at a mass for assassinated archbishop Oscar Romero., Pink Floyd's album The Wall tops the charts worldwide., Nigel Short from the UK becomes the youngest world chess master, aged 14., French philosopher Jean Paul Sartre, who refused the Nobel Prize for Literature, dies aged 74., Sir Alfred Hitchcock. UK film director of The Birds and Psycho, dies aged 80., Solar Max, the first satellite to study solar flares, is launched., Cosmonauts Leonid Popov and Valery Ryumin reach Salyut-6 space station., The Pioneer Venus space probe finds mountains higher than Everest on Venus., An electronic "eye" is first used in tennis at the UK Wimbledon championships., Eighty-four people are killed and hundreds injured by a bomb blast in a railway station in Bologna, Italy., Polish workers, having won the right to organize trade unions, set up a central organisation, Solidarity., The deposed dictator of Nicaragua Anastasio Somoza Debayle is assassinated on the streets of Asuncion, Paraguay,, Two big earthquakes measuring 73 on the Richter Scale destroy the city of El Asnam in Algeria, Swedish tennis player Björn Borg wins his fifth consecutive Wimbledon singles title, Italian Reinhold Messner climbs the 8,847.7-m (29,027-ft) high Mount Everest on his own., The Les Miserables musical is first performed at the Palais des Sports, France., Ex-Beatle John Lennon is shot dead in New York, USA, The world's longest tunnel is opened, through the St Gotthard, a mountain in the Swiss Alps., Japanese newspaper Asahi Shimbun uses new computer technology to create its pages., Cosmonauts Popov and Ryumin set a new space endurance record on Salyut-6, Voyager 1 sends back pictures that show Saturn has at least 100 rings and more.

1981:Yellow ribbons for US hostages are Ronald Reagan, Francois Mitterrand is election paints France red, Pope John Paul II is wounded, Fairytale royal wedding Prince Charles and Lady Diana, Sadat shot in raid, TGV Train in France was Trains á Grande Vitesse, Sandra Day O´Connor is the first female judge in US supreme court, The 5th Wave (comic strip), 101 Uses for a Dead Cat, The Adventures of Freddy Lombard, All-Star Squadron, Arak (character), Billy the Cat (Belgian comics) (Billy le Chat), Bogey (comics), Captain Victory and the Galactic Rangers, Cat Claw, Charlton Bullseye (comics), Cowboy Henk, Dazzler (Marvel Comics), Dial H for Hero, Eclipse Magazine, Les Femmes en Blanc, Geraldão, Girl (UK comics), Hombre (comics), The Hunting Party (comics), I…Vampire, If... (comic), Justice Machine, , Ka-Zar the Savage, Kudzu (comic strip), Love and Rockets (comics), Madame Xanadu, Mendy and the Golem, Necron (comics), Nexus (comics), Nicoletta (comics), Professor Palmboom, Percevan, The Price (comics), Rogue Trooper, Rosco & Sonny, Slam Bradley, Space

Family Robinson, Swamp (comic strip), Sylvia (comic strip), Thrud the Barbarian, Uti vår hage (comic strip), Weirdo (comics), Donkey Kong debuts, Mario debuts, The Great Muppet Caper, Ulysses 31 debuts, On Golden Pond, For Your Eyes Only, Superman II, Chariots of Fire, Indiana Jones, American Pop by Ralph Bakshi, Captain Tsubasa, Willo the Wisp, Postman Pat, Danger Mouse debuts, Peter-No-Tail, Futbol en Accion, The Looney, Looney, Looney Bugs Bunny Movie from Warner Bros, This is Your Life, The Pink Panther, The Ant and the Aardvark: The Movie, The Inspector: The Movie, The Brave Husky and more are from DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, The Fox and the Hound from Walt Disney are released, Frogger, Galaga, Dynasty, Hill Street Blues, The Greatest American Hero, Falcon Crest, Entertainment Tonight, Verano azul, Gro Harlem Brundtland becomes Norway's first woman prime minister, Solidarity trade union stages a national strike in Poland in protest at police treatment of union activists., US president Ronald Reagan, aged 70, is wounded in an assassination attempt in Washington, USA, IRA prisoner Bobby Sands, who has been on hunger strike for 42 days, wins a Northern Ireland by-election, In the first London Marathon 80% of the 6,700 runners finish the UK course., Jamaican reggae superstar Bob Marley dies of cancer in Miami, USA, aged 36., UK group Adam and the Ants top the charts with hit single Stand and Deliver., A new musical by Andrew Lloyd Webber called Cats opens in London, UK., US astronomers discover a star 100 times brighter than the Sun., The US space shuttle Columbia, the world's first reusable spacecraft, blasts off., The Stealth fighter plane, the Lockheed F-117. makes its maiden flight in the USA., The world's first testtube twins are born in Melbourne, Australia, Iran goes into mourning after both the president and prime minister are assassinated in a bomb blast, French president François Mitterrand abolishes the guillotine which made its debut in the French Revolution., Egypt's parliament selects Hosni Mubarak as president after the assassination of president Anwar Sadat., Strikes continue in spite of the arrest of at least 14,000 trade union activists after martial law is imposed in Poland., Music Television (MTV) begins broadcasting to people across the USA., UK runner Steve Ovett clips 0.13 secs off the world mile record., UK runner Sebastian Coe reclaims the world mile record with a time of 3 min 47.53 secs., UK batsman Geoff Boycott beats Sir Gary Sobers' record of 8,032 runs in test cricket, US space probe Voyager 2 arrives at Saturn after a four-year journey., US company IBM launches its new "personal computer" (PC)., Sandra Day O'Connor is the first woman judge on the US Supreme Court, US space shuttle Columbia is the first shuttle to be launched twice and more.
DECADE OF DESIGN:Bags of style, Swatch watch, Alessi kettle, Yuppies, Everyday objects like lamps, torches and calculators, Duracell, Energizer, Hi-tech skyscraper, Radio in a bag, Graphic design, Japanese designer, Memphis style, Designer diary was The Filofax, All-round design was Philippe Starck and more.
1982:Argie-Bargie!, French Telecom Minitel is the first online service, Israel drives PLO out of Beirut, Trivial Pursuit, Ancient wreck raised from ocean was the Mary Rose, First artificial heart was Jarvik-7, Vietnam victims remembered, Alien Worlds, Arion (character), Arnold (comic strip), Arthur le fantôme justicier, Atari Force, Bárbara (comics), Biff (cartoon), Camelot 3000, Captain Carrot and His Amazing Zoo Crew!, Cherry (comics), Chuck Billy 'n' Folks, Conrad (comic strip), Cutey Bunny, Destroyer Duck, Domino Chance, Doomlord, Dreadstar, Dreadstar (graphic novel), Eagle (British comics), Firestorm (character), Funky Koval, Geech (comic strip), Grendel (comics), Groo the Wanderer,Jeannette Pointu,Kogaratsu, Martin Mystère, Marvin (comic strip), Miracleman (character), New Mutants, The New Mutants (graphic novel), Night Force, Red Ketchup, Rocketeer, Sabre (Eclipse Comics), Sally Forth (Greg Howard comic strip), Sarvan (comics), Sid the Sexist, Joe Soap, Squeak the Mouse, Starslayer, Starstruck (comics), Supergirl (comic book), Tales of the New Teen Titans, Thunderbunny, Torpedo (comics), Snowpiercer (graphic novel series), Twisted Tales, Urbanus (comic strip), V for Vendetta, The Vision and the Scarlet Witch, Warrior (comics), When the Wind Blows (comics), Wow! (comic), E.T. the Extra-Terrestrial, Rocky III, Porky´s, Tootsie, Sophie's Choice, Poltergeist, Blade Runner, The Dark Crystal, TRON, The Snowman, Superted, The Mysterious Cities of Gold, Naranjito, 1982 World Cup, Dogtanian (D´Artacan) debuts, The Legend of Little Boy Blue is the final DePatie Freleng/United Artists/Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer animated movie, Bugs Bunny´s 1001 Rabbit Tales from Warner Bros, Jimmy the Little Puppy the world´s first Don Bluth´s full-length animated movie, The Plague Dogs, Q-Bert, Care Bears debuts, Masters of the Universe debuts with He-Man, Family Ties, Silver Spoons, Knight Rider, Remington Steele, Cagney & Lacey, Today´s Special, Fame, Saturday Superstore, Pandamonium and Meatballs and Spaghetti are both debuts, Ramon y Cajal, ETB launches, Channel 4 launches, Seventy-eight people die when a Boeing 737 crashes into a bridge in Washington state, USA., Nicaragua's Sandinista government declares a state of emergency because of fears of a US-inspired attack, King Khaled of Saudi Arabia dies aged 69 and is succeeded by his brother Prince Fahd., General Galtieri is ousted as president of Argentina and stripped of his post of commander-in-chief of the army., Thelonius Monk, a popular jazz pianist from the USA, dies aged 64.,Fifteen UK cricketers are condemned for embarking on a rebel tour of South Africa., UK film Chariots of Fire, directed by David Puttnam, wins a US Academy Award for best film. 49, Argentine footballer Diego Maradona is bought by Barcelona for a

record £5 million, Kodak launches a new "wind-on" camera with disc film worldwide., Unmanned Soviet space probe Venera 13 lands on Venus after a four-month flight., US space shuttle Columbia is launched on its third mission from Cape Canaveral, Florida, USA., US company Proctor & Gamble develops the first liquid detergent for washing machines.,The Reverend Sun Myung Moon presides over the simultaneous marriage of 2,075 couples in New York, USA, Palestinian refugees are massacred by Lebanese Christian militia in refugee camps in Beirut, Lebanon, Spain's socialist party sweeps to victory in the general election and 40-year-old Felipe Gonzales becomes prime minister, Soviet premier Leonid Brezhnev dies after a heart attack aged 75, and is succeeded by Yuri Andropov, Italy wins the football World Cup in Spain, beating West Germany in the final.,The US's Ashby Harper becomes the oldest person to swim the Channel, aged 65., Michael Jackson releases his critically acclaimed album Thriller, which tops the charts worldwide., Coca Cola Company launches a new Diet Coke soft drink in the USA, Japanese company Sony launches the Watchman, a TV with a 5 cm (2 in) screen., The Experimental Prototype Community of Tomorrow Center (EPCOT) opens in Florida, USA., Time magazine in the US votes Pac-Man, a computer character, its "Man of the Year", Hugh Harman creator of Timmy Brisby dies and more.
1983:Star Wars is a speech televised across the USA was President Reagan, King Kong ´s 50th Anniversary, Diversion at Mount Etna, Sicilia, In the pink was Surrounded Islands, Soviets shoot down Flight 007, US invade Grenada, Solidarity and peace was Lech Walesa, Omega Men debuts, XIII (comics), Albedo Anthropomorphics, American Flagg!, Amethyst, Princess of Gemworld, The Angriest Dog in the World, Arne Anka, Atom (Ray Palmer), Badger (comics), Battle for Britain (Private Eye), Bernie Wrightson's Frankenstein, Biebel, Billy the Fish, Black Hood, Blue Ribbon Comics, The Bojeffries Saga, The Carl Barks Library, Adrian Chase, Le Chat, Les Cités obscures, Click (comics), Cliff Hanger (comic strip), D.R. & Quinch, The Daredevils, DC Graphic Novel, Dykes to Watch Out For, Eclipse Monthly, Ed the Happy Clown, Elementals (Comico Comics), Escape (magazine), La fièvre d'Urbicande, First Comics, Gilles de Geus, Jon Sable, Journey: The Adventures of Wolverine MacAlistaire, Kraken (comics), John Law (comics), Magik (comics), Mister X (Vortex), Le Monde d'Edena, Moondancers, Neil the Horse, Nemo (magazine), Normalman, Outsiders (comics),Peräsmies, Peter Pank, Pierre Tombal, Princess (comics) ,Prudence Petitpas, Pupung, La Quête de l'oiseau du temps, Rōnin (DC Comics), School Belle, Sentinels of Justice, Shield (Archie Comics), Silver Star (comics), Skateman, Sláine (comics), Somerset Holmes, Spider-Ham, Spike (DC Thomson), Star Slammers, T. O. Sylvester, Thriller (DC Comics), Vigilante (comics), Void Indigo, Warp (First Comics), Wonder Wellies, Yummy Fur (comics), Return of the Jedi, Flashdance, Octopus, Sudden Impact, Risky Business, Daffy Duck´s Movie: Fantastic Island, Rock & Rule, Tapper, Mickey´s Christmas Carol, Monty Python´s The Meaning of Life, Inspector Gadget debuts, My Little Pony debuts, Dungeons and Dragons debuts, The Disney Channel launches, Henry´s Cat debuts, Willy Fog debuts, Fraggle Rock debuts, The A-Team with Mr. T, The Dukes, V, Webster, The Littles debuts, Reader Rabbit debuts, ITV Breakfast television launches, TV3 (Televisio de Catalunya) launches, Anillos de oro, Mr. Hiccup debuts, Twice Upon a Time from John Korty, The Edison Twins, Y sin embargo, te quiero, Ni en vivo ni en directo, Planeta imaginario, Les tres bessones debuts, Dragon´s Lair the world´s first video interactive videogame, Police suspect arson when 68 people die in Australia's worst ever bush fires., US President Reagan backs the Contra rebels fighting to overthrow the Marxist Sandinista government in Nicaragua, Diaries allegedly written by Adolf Hitler are discovered to be fakes by experts in Germany., Thousands of people in Chile take part in nationwide protests against the rule of dictator General Pinochet., An unknown Mozart symphony is discovered in Denmark, The £10 million race horse Shergar is kidnapped from a stud farm in Ireland., The film ET wins four Oscars in Los Angeles, USA, after breaking all box-office records., Veteran UK pop star Cliff Richard celebrates his 25th anniversary in show business., A dinosaur is named Baryonyx walkeri after its clawbone is found in the UK, The Thames Flood Barrier in London, UK, is raised for the first time to protect the city from flooding., The first compact disc players go on sale in UK, France, West Germany, and Holland., Dr Sally Ride becomes the first US spacewoman in space shuttle Challenger, General Jaruzelski lifts martial law in Poland after 19 months, although antisocialist activity will still be crushed., In Sri Lanka more than 100 people are killed in racial violence between the Sinhalese and Tamils., Philippines opposition leader Benigno Aquino is assassinated as he returns home from three years' exile in the USA, Raul Alfonsin is inaugurated as president of Argentina, restoring democracy after eight years of military rule., Wham!, who already have three UK hit singles, storm the album charts with Fantastic, Athletes from 159 nations take part in the first athletics world championships in Finland., Alan Bond's Australia II wins the America's Cup yachting trophy - the USA has held the trophy for 132 years., UK racing driver Richard Noble sets a land-speed record of 1,013 km/h (633 mph) in his jet car Thrust 2, US space shuttle Challenger is launched again with a crew that includes the first US black astronaut, Astronomers use the world's largest telescope in the Caucasus Mountains to spot Halley's Comet., Two Soviet cosmonauts arrive home after five months on board Salyut-7 space station., An Australian woman becomes the first to give birth after receiving a donated egg and more.

1984:Killer virus identified, India´s Golden Temple attacked, Boy George, Ice-men found was John Torrington, Indira Gandhi is killed, Bishop Tutu wins Nobel Peace Prize, Bhopal nightmare, 1984 Los Angeles Olympics, Neue Staatsgalerie (James Stirling) opens in Stuttgart, AT&T Building (Philip Johnson) opens in New York, Valentina Tereshkova is First Woman to Space Walk, News reports of famine in Ethiopia stun the world, Band Aid release Do They Know it´s Christmas? single, Scientists warn of global warming (The greenhouse effect), Usagi Yojimbo, Transformers debuts, Dragon Ball debuts, Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles debuts, Adam@home, Alien Legion, Betty Boop and Felix, Bloodfang, Blue Devil (DC Comics), Billy Bunter, César and Jessica, Cobalt 60 (comics), Crash Ryan, Crossfire (Eclipse Comics), Nathaniel Dusk, Evangeline (comics), Flaming Carrot Comics, Futurians (comics), Green Arrow (comic book), Infinity, Inc., Jemm, Kimagure Orange Road, Kitty Pryde and Wolverine, Little Ego, Mage (comics), Masters of Disaster (comics), Micronauts (comics), Mother Goose and Grimm, Normalman, Northguard,On the Fastrack, Power Pack, Prince Namor, the Sub-Mariner, Rasher (comics), Rose Is Rose, Rubes, Scream! (comics), Shield (Archie Comics), Showcase (comics), Sisterhood of Steel, Six from Sirius, Star Comics, Timespirits, West Coast Avengers, Wicked Willie, Zero Patrol, Zot!, Gremlins, Indiana Jones and the Temple of Doom, Ghostbusters, Beverly Hills Cop, The Karate Kid, Police Academy, Romancing the Stone, Footloose, Splash, Beverly Hills Cop, The Muppets Take Manhattan with the introductions of the Muppet Babies, Heathcliff and the Catillac Cats, The Get Along Gang debuts, Sherlock Hound debuts, The Snorks (Snorky) debuts, Nausicaä of the Valley of the Wind, Timmy Brisby´s Summer Adventure, The Adventures of André and Wally B., Samson & Sally, Thomas the Tank Engine and Friends, Gallavants, Katy the Caterpillar (Katy la Oruga), Rupert and the Frog Song, Pound Puppies debuts, Canal+ is launched, SKY Television is launched, Night Court, Kate and Allie, Miami Vice, Punky Brewster, Space Ace, Apple Macintosh, Pac-Land, Terminator, Tales from the Darkside, Murder, She Wrote, Highway to Heaven, The Cosby Show, Amadeus, Danger Bay, Secret Valley, The Family Ness, The Bill, Ferdy the Ant (Ferdy die Ameise), Kidd Video, Los Electroduendes debuts, Nunca es tarde, International peace-keeping force withdraws from Lebanon, leaving Beirut to the local militias., In the USSR Konstantin Chernenko is named new Soviet party chief after the death of Yuri Andropov., As many as 1,000 people are feared dead after a week of religious rioting in northern Nigeria., The USSR announces that it will boycott the US Los Angeles Olympics due to security concerns., Johnny Weissmuller. swimming champion and star of Tarzan movies, dies aged 79., “Gender-bending" is the latest trend as stars dress in the fashions of the opposite sex, UK ice skaters Jayne Torvill and Christopher Dean win an Olympic gold medal in Yugoslavia, South African runner Zola Budd is granted UK citizenship so that she can compete in the Olympics., US astronaut Brian McCandless makes the first untethered space walk, US astronauts from the space shuttle Challenger successfully replace a control box in a satellite, The first baby to have started life as a frozen embryo is born in Melbourne, Australia., The first domestic robot is manufactured in the US and advertised in a New York paper., A former Nigerian transport minister is found kidnapped and drugged in a crate at Stansted Airport in the UK., After two years of negotiations, agreement is reached for the UK to return Hong Kong to China in 1997., Four people die when an IRA bomb explodes during the UK's Conservative Party conference, Republican Ronald Reagan wins a second term in the presidential election in the USA., James F Fixx, the US man who popularized jogging, dies of a heart attack while out jogging, US athlete Carl Lewis wins gold medals in two sprints, the sprint relay, and the long jump at the Olympics., The Band Aid single Do They Know It's Christmas! raises £8 million in the UK for famine relief in Africa,, In the UK's City of London the new hi-tech Lloyds Building, designed by Richard Rogers, is finished., Soviet cosmonaut Svetlana Savitskaya becomes the first woman to walk in space., The British Museum examines the body of a prehistoric man discovered in a peat bog in Cheshire, UK., Three Soviet cosmonauts return to Earth after setting a new space endurance record of 238 days, The Children Channel launches and more.

FEED THE WORLD:Worldwide live is Status Quo sing Rocking All Over the World, Famine in Ethiopia, Bob Geldof´s visit, Bob takes a bow, Live-aid concert tickets, Live from Philadelphia, Special delivery, Life-saving cookies (biscuits) and milk, Medical aid like Syringes and other medical supplies and more.

1985:New way to get around! is Clive Sinclair in his C5, Pandemonium at Heysel Stadium, Armed hijackers guard jet at airport, Wreck of the Titanic found, Town drowns in Colombian mud, Superpowers talk are Ronald Reagan and Mikhail Gorbachev, Madonna the new Pop Sensation, 21 nations agree to reductions of Sulphur Dioxide emissions by 30 per cent, Mobile phones are launched in Europe, First shipments of aids from proceeds, We Are the World released by USA for Arica, Live Aid concerts beamed to 1.5 Billion People, Concerts Raise 40 pounds million for relief effort, Calvin and Hobbes debuts, Adler (comics), Ambush Bug, America vs. the Justice Society, Arlo and Janis, Bell's Theorem (comics), Bizarro (comic strip), The Bozz Chronicles, Crisis on Infinite Earths, Cyclone!, Death Rattle (comics), Doodles (comics), The Dreamer (comics),

Ensamma mamman, Eternals (comics), Femforce, Fifty Who Made DC Great, Fish Police, Flaming Carrot Comics, Futurians (comics), De Geuzen, Heroes for Hope, Jonah Hex, Hoot (comics), In the Bleachers, Ivy the Terrible, Luann (comic strip), Mahabharata (comics), Modern Age of Comic Books, Monty (comic strip), Moon Knight, Moonshadow (comics), Music for Mechanics, The Mysterious Traveler, Neat Stuff, Neil the Horse, Nikki (DC Thomson), Níquel Náusea, Normalman, The One (comics), Outsiders (comics), Planet Terry, Poot!, Rocket Raccoon (limited series), Royal Roy, Scout (comics), Secret Wars II, Shatter (digital comic), Simply Smiffy, Solomon Kane (comics), Striker (comic), Swords of the Swashbucklers, Tales from the Aniverse, Tales of the Beanworld, Thieves' World (comics), Those Annoying Post Bros, Timmy the Timid Ghost, Top Dog (comics), The Vision and the Scarlet Witch, Web of Spider-Man, West Coast Avengers, Back to the Future, The Color Purple, Out of Africa, The Goonies, The Black Cauldron from Walt Disney, The Care Bears Movie, Starchaser: The Legend of Orin, Return to Oz, Pee-Wee´s Big Adventure, Duck Hunt (video game), Thundercats debuts, Alias the Jester debuts, David the Gnome (David el Gnomo) debuts, Seabert (Bibifoc) debuts, Bruffi debuts, She-Ra debuts, Where in the World of Carmen Sandiego?, Timmy Brisby´s 60th Anniversary, Wuzzles and Gummi Bears are both debuts, Little Muppet Monsters, Golden Book Video is launched, Sesame Street Presents Follow That Bird!, Moonlighting, Mr. Belvedere, The Golden Girls, Growing Pains, MacGyver, Misfits of Science, Amazing Stories, Fred Penner´s Place, Jayce and the Wheeled Warriors, M.A.S.K., Jim and the Holograms, Midday, Platos rotos, Television de Galicia launches, Gibraltar's frontier with Spain re-opens after 16 years. Spain had tried to force the UK to transfer sovereignty., PM Thatcher claims a victory as the National Union of Miners ends its year-long strike in the UK., Fifty-four-year-old Mikhail Gorbachev succeeds as leader of the USSR after the death of Konstantin Chernenko., Many countries send aid as thousands of people die after a cyclone and tidal wave batter the coast of Bangladesh, South African-born UK barefoot runner Zola Budd wins a cross-country race in Portugal., Australian media tycoon Rupert Murdoch buys 50% of the Twentieth Century Fox Film Corporation., UK pop group Wham! performs in front of an audience of 10,000 in China., UK boxer Barry McGuigan becomes WBA featherweight boxing champion, The first UK mobile telephones are introduced by Racal-Vodaphone and Cell-net, Concorde's first commercial flight from the UK, to Sydney, Australia, takes 17 hours 3 mins 45 secs., US space shuttle Discovery blasts off with Prince Sultan, the first Arab astronaut, on board., The Sir Isaac Newton Telescope, located on the Canary Islands, is inaugurated., Greenpeace peace protest ship Rambow Warrior is sunk by two explosions in Auckland Harbour, New Zealand., South African president PW Botha imposes a state of emergency in black townships after unrest leaves 500 dead., An earthquake that measures 8.5 on the Richter Scale devastates Mexico City, killing nearly 2,000 people., The Australian government gives back Ayers Rock (Uluru) in the Northern Territory to the Aboriginals., A transatlantic Live Aid concert, at Wembley Stadium in the UK and JFK Stadium in USA, raises £40 million, The unseeded West German tennis player, 17-year-old Boris Becker, wins the UK's Wimbledon men's title., UK runner Steve Cram wins the "Dream Mile" in Oslo, Norway, taking more than a second off the world record., US film star Rock Hudson dies after a year-long battle against AIDS, aged 59., European Space Agency's (ESA) launches a Giotto spacecraft, which aims to intercept Halley's Comet., Challenger, the USA's 50th manned space flight and the 19th space shuttle, is launched., Switzerland becomes the first country to make lead-free catalytic convertors compulsory., Halley's Comet reappears in the skies for the first time in 75 years and more.

1986:The Space Shuttle explodes at Cape Canaveral, Disposable Camera, Aquino triumphs in Philippines, The return of Halley´s comet, Nuclear disaster at Chernobyl, A handy victory for Argentina in the 1986 World Cup, Lloyd´s Building (Richard Rogers) opens in London, Voyager 2 flies past Uranus then Neptune in 1989, Worldwide ban on Commercial whaling, U.S. Acres debuts, Acorn Green, Adolescent Radioactive Black Belt Hamsters, Agent Annorlunda, Airboy, Angel Love, Booster Gold, Boris the Bear, Born Again (comics), Broadside (comic strip), Calamity James, Captain Confederacy, Champions (comic book), Chicha, Tato y Clodoveo, Chninkel, Concrete (comics), Cucalón (comic strip), Cuddles and Dimples, Dark Horse Presents, The Dark Knight Returns, Diceman (comics), DP 7, Dragonfly (AC Comics), Dylan Dog, Dynamo Joe, Eagle (Richard Eagle), Ed the Happy Clown, Electric Warrior (comics), Elektra: Assassin, The Enchanted Apples of Oz, Ex-Mutants, La Femme Piège, Gizmo (Mirage Studios), Hamster Vice, Heroes Against Hunger, Honk (magazine), House of Mystery, Indigo Prime, Jax and the Hellhound, Jim (comics), Justice (New Universe), Karmatron, Kickers, Inc., Legends (comics), Legionnaires 3, Lloyd Llewellyn, Lords of the Ultra-Realm, The Man of Steel (comics), Mark Hazzard: Merc, May un Mar Lady, 'Mazing Man, Meatmen (comics), Metalzoic, The Middletons, Mister Boffo, Maggie Murdock, The

'Nam, New Universe,Nightmask, Ninja (comic book), Dakota North (comics), Oink! (comics), Out of Bounds (comic strip), Psi-Force, The Puma Blues ,The Punisher (1986 series), Pyton, Raj Comics, Redfox (comics), Rip in Time, Schanulleke, Secret Origins, Soda (comics),, Spitfire (New Universe), Star Brand, Strange Hill, Strikeforce: Morituri, Tom Thug, U.S. Acres, Warlock 5, Watchmen, Yummy Fur (comics), Top Gun, Crocodile Dundee, Platoon, Pingu debuts, Luxo Jr. from Pixar, The Great Mouse Detective from Walt Disney, Foofur debuts, Galaxy High School debuts, Popples debuts, Turner Entertainment Co. launches, Janoschs Traumstunde debuts, Los Aurones debuts, Mofli el Ultimo Koala debuts, Transformers: The Movie, ALF debuts, My Pet Monster, The Nintendo Entertainment System, Sega Master System, Fluppy Dogs debuts, An American Tail from Universal, The Hogan Family, Perfect Strangers, Muzzy debuts, Silverhawks debuts, Double Dare debuts, Airwaves, A vista de pajaro, Spain and Portugal become the eleventh and twelfth members of the European Community, After 20 years the Duvalier dictatorship in Haiti ends as "Baby Doc", the son of "Papa Doc", flees to France., The USA launches air strikes against Libya in retaliation for acts of terrorism aimed at US citizens., One thousand black activists are arrested in South Africa after President Botha announces a state of emergency, US film star and tough guy James Cagney dies at the age of 86., US actor Clint Eastwood wins a landslide victory to become mayor of Carmel town.,For the first time yellow balls are used at the UK's Wimbledon lawn tennis championships., US space probe Voyager 2 discovers that Uranus has 15 moons., The USSR launches a new orbiting space station called Mir, which means "peace"., All new telephones in the UK are to have push buttons instead of old-fashioned dials., The "Mexican wave" is invented in the opening game of the World Cup when Mexico beat Belgium 2-1., JUL The USA holds lavish ceiebrations for the Statue of Liberty's 100th birthday, after a $70 million restoration, Desmond Tutu is enthroned as the first ever black archbishop of the city of Cape Town in South Africa., President Shimon Peres hands over premiership of Israel to his coalition partner Yitzhak Shamir., The River Rhine in Europe is polluted with toxic liquid pesticides after a blaze at a chemical plant in Basle, Switzerland., Greg LeMond is the first cyclist from the USA to win the 4,023 km (2,500-mile) Tour de France race., Phantom of the Opera, the musical by Andrew Lloyd Webber and Charles Hart, opens in the UK., 20-year-old Mike Tyson from the USA becomes the youngest-ever world heavyweight boxing champion, Oprah Winfrey becomes ratings champion of daytime television with her US talk show., An underwater robot takes pictures of the inside of the wreck of the Titanic which sank in 1912., Japanese car manufacturer Nissan opens a new assembly plant in northeast England, UK., Surgeons in the UK perform the world's first triple heart, lungs, and liver transplant., Experimental aircraft Voyager 4 completes the first flight around the world without refuelling and more.

THE FIGHT FOR THE PLANET:Nuclear war, Smoke-filled skies, Rainforest destruction, Nuclear testing, Anti-nuclear disposal signs, Nuclear protest, Weapon of death, Greenpeace, Ivory trade, Hole in the ozone layer, Recycling, Taking action, Fast and deadly and more.

1987:Pilot meets red-faced Russians in Moscow´s Red Square, Wrong way north! is God Bless Ollie, Stock markets crash was Black Monday, High price for floral tribute was Irises by Vincent Van Gogh, Mafia on trial, General Motors´s Sunraycer the first solar-powered car race, More than 70 countries agree to halve use of CFOs, Reagan and Gorbachev sign a treaty to cut nuclear arsenal, Sam & Max debuts, Alex (comic strip), The American (comics), The Avridge Farm, Blood: A Tale, Captain Atom ,Chester Brown's Gospel adaptations, Combat Colin, Comet Man, The Complete Crumb Comics, Crankshaft (comic strip), Deadworld, Doc and Raider, Doom Patrol, Eddy Current (comics), Etrigan the Demon, Fallen Angels (comics), Faust (Avatar Press), Fusion (Eclipse Comics), Good Girls (comics), Great Pop Things,, Heartbreak Hotel (comics), Jessica Blandy Jim (comics), League of Champions, The Liberty Project, Marshal Law (comics), El Negro Blanco, Ninja High School, Nipper (comics), Off the Mark (comic strip), Outcasts (DC Comics), Pafman, Le Petit Spirou, The Pitt, The Punisher (1987 series), The Really Heavy Greatcoat, Safarir, Savage Henry (comics), Slylock Fox & Comics for Kids, Solo Avengers, Sondermann, Sonic Disruptors, Space Beaver ,Trekker (comics), The Trouble with Girls (comics), Uri-On, Vietnam Journal, Wasteland (DC Comics), What a Guy!, Where the Buffalo Roam (webcomic), Wild Dog (comics), Xenozoic Tales, Young All-Stars, Zenith (comics), Fatal Attraction, Beverly Hills Cop II, Three Men and a Baby, Good Morning, Vietnam, Moonstruck,The Untouchables, Stakeout, Bravestarr debuts, Visionaries debuts, Launchpad McQuack, Webby Vanderquack, Mrs. Beakley and Duckworth are both debuts in Ducktales with Animalwood debuts too, The Simpsons debuts, Timmy Brisby and Sons debuts, Ovide and the Gang (La Bande a Ovide) debuts, The Shoe People debuts, Bogus debuts in the claymation shorts, The Fruitties (Los Fruittis) debuts, The Wisdom of the Gnomes (La Llamada de Los Gnomos) debuts, Dirty Dancing, Street Fighter, The Brave Little Toaster from Walt Disney, Star Trek: The Next Generation, Pac-Mania, Ico el Caballito Valiente debuts, A Muppet Family Christmas, Married… with Children, Full House, Thirtysomething, A Different World, Degrassi Junior High, Super Dave, Under the Umbrella Tree, The Adventures of Spot, ChuckleVision, Fireman Sam debuts, Going

Live! debuts, Creepy Crawlies debuts, El tiempo es oro debuts, The archbishop of Canterbury's envoy and negotiator Terry Waite is kidnapped in Lebanon., Charles Haughey is elected prime minister (Taioseach) of the Republic of Ireland for the third time., 189 people die when the 8,078-tonne car ferry Herald of Free Enterprise sinks off the coast of Zeebrugge in Belgium, Fifteen people die when a car bomb planted by Basque separatist group ETA explodes in Barcelona, Spain, US pop artist Andy Warhol dies during an operation, aged 55., The duchess of Windsor's jewels are sold in Geneva, Switzerland, for $31,380,197, US actor and dancer Fred Astaire (born Frederick Austerlitz) dies in his Hollywood home at the age of 88., New Zealand's All Blacks win the first rugby world cup, beating France 29-9 in the final, Supernova 1987A, the first exploding star visible to the naked eye, is spotted., The new European Airbus 320, built jointly by France, Germany, Spain, and the UK, is launched, The DAT (Digital Audio Tape) recorder is launched by Sony in Japan for professional use only., "Ecu" coins are struck in Belgium on the 30th anniversary of the European Community,Former Nazi SS officer Kiaus Barbie, the "Butcher of Lyon", is found guilty of wartime atrocities and is imprisoned for life., The Greek government declares a national state of emergency when a heatwave claims over 700 lives., A "Great Storm" sweeps across the Atlantic and destructive hurricane-force winds hit the UK., An IRA bomb explodes at a parade in Enniskillen, Northern Ireland, killing 11 people., The UK's Richard Branson and Norwegian Per Lindstrand cross the Atlantic ocean in a hot air balloon. ,Whitney Houston's album I Wanna Dance with Somebody enters the US charts at number one, Tom McLean from the UK Tows across the Atlantic ocean in a record-breaking 54 days 23 hours, ,Lynne Cox from the USA swims across the Bering Straits from the USA to the USSR., The USSR launches an 18-tonne space platform, Cosmos 1870. into orbit., Construction work is started on the Channel Tunnel between France and the UK, A talking watch, which answers when asked the time, is launched by Citizen in Japan.,A Soviet cosmonaur Yuri Romananko returns to Earth after a record 326 days in space and more.

1988:Happy Birthday, Australia!, The Seikan is the longest tunnel in the world, Hannibal´s trek in Italy, Stealth Bomber was F-117A Stealth jet fighter, 160 die on Piper Alpha platform, Turin Shroud declared fake, Fatal flooding in Bangladesh, First female Islamic PM was Benazir Bhutto, Devastation strikes Armenia, Bungee jumping, Jet explodes over Lockerbie, Soviet troops begin their withdrawal from Afghanistan, Pugad Baboy debuts, Venom debuts, AARGH (Artists Against Rampant Government Homophobia), Agrippine (comics), Aliens (Dark Horse Comics line), Animal Man (comic book), Aquablue, Atom (Ray Palmer), A Death in the Family (comics), Beyond the Black Stump (comic strip), Black Kiss, Black Orchid (comics), Black Panther (comic book), Brought to Light, Captain Power and the Soldiers of the Future (comics), Checkmate (comics) ,The Chosen Family, Cinder and Ashe, Cloak and Dagger: Predator and Prey, Cosmic Odyssey (comics), Crisis (Fleetway), Cupidon (comics), Curtis (comic strip), Deadline (magazine), Death's Head, Dinosaurs for Hire, Direct Currents, The Draft (comics), Dragon's Claws, Excalibur (comic book), Flaming Carrot Comics, Forever People ,The Forever War (comics), FoxTrot, Fright Night (comic series), Genosha, Goomer, Hawk and Dove, Hellblazer, Herman Hedning, Jim's Journal, The Journal of Luke Kirby, Julius Knipl, Real Estate Photographer, Kings in Disguise, Kurt Dunder, Life Foundation, The Light and Darkness War, Lolo et Sucette, Maze Agency, Millennium (comics), Nick Fury vs. S.H.I.E.L.D., Nick Raider ,Nyoka the Jungle Girl, Piranha Club, Power Girl, Pugad Baboy, The Punisher War Journal (1988 series), The Punisher War Journal, Safe Havens, The Saga of the Sub-Mariner, Shattered Visage, Simon du Fleuve, Someplace Strange, Starman (DC Comics), Stray Toasters, Tailgunner Jo, Tank Girl,This Modern World, Totally Gross Germs, Troubletown,Tyranny Rex, Unknown Soldier (DC Comics), Wanderers (comics), Weird (comics), What The—?!, Wildcat (UK comic), X-Terminators, Rain Man, Beetlejuice (live-action later into animated cartoon), Twins, Rambo III, Who Framed Roger Rabbit (the first hybrid live-action/animated movie), Crocodile Dundee II, Big, A Fish Called Wanda, Denver the Last Dinosaur debuts, Count Duckula debuts, Bobobobs debuts, Historia de Catalunya debuts, The Smoggies debuts, Oliver and Company from Walt Disney, The Land Before Time from Universal, My Neighbor´s Totoro, Akira, Grave of the Fireflies, Grampa Simpson and Itchy and Scratchy are both debuts, The New Adventures of Winnie the Pooh, Abner Countrymouse and Monty Citymouse (1988 TV series), Mickey Mouse´s 60th Anniversary, Daffy Duck´s Quackbusters, Double Dragon, Metal Gear, Charlie Chalk debuts, The Wonder Years, China Beach, Roseanne, Murphy Brown, Barney and the Backyard Gang, Fantastic Max, COPS, Empty Nest, 48 Hours, My Secret Identity, The 1988 Calgary Olympics, 1988 Seoul Olympics, Stoppit and Tidyup debuts, Rapido, Canal 10 launches, Cajon desastre, Los mundos de Yupi, Diplodo, Defiant Palestinians take part in an intifada, or uprising, against occupying Israeli forces in Gaza., Archbishop Desmond Tutu is arrested in South Africa for defying a law banning protests outside parliament., In an act widely condemned, three members of the Irish Republican Army are shot dead by UK soldiers in Gibraltar, The National People's Congress in China votes to allow capitalist-style enterprise to set up in the communist country., Comic Relief Day in the UK raises £7 million for charity, UK ski-jumper Eddie "The Eagle" Edwards comes Last at the Calgary Olympics, At the winter Olympics, Pirmin

Zurbriggen of Switzerland wins the men's downhill ski event., Bernado Bertolucci's film The Last Emperor wins nine Oscars, the most for a single film for 27 years, A$10 plastic polymer banknote is issued by the Reserve Bank of Australia., Japan's new magnetic levitation train, the Maglev, reaches speeds of 257.48 km/h (160.92 mph)., UK archaeologists discover the grave of Boadicea, warrior queen of ancient Britain, under a train station, The 12.87 km (8.04-miles) Great Seto Bridge, connecting two of Japan's Islands, is opened., Socialist leader François Mitterrand is re-elected president of France for a second term, taking 54% of the popular vote., US president Ronald Reagan pays his first visit to the USSR for talks with Soviet premier Mikhail Gorbachev., In Rangoon, Burma, the president Sein Lwin resigns after huge anti-government demonstrations and rioting., A UG Pakistan's military ruler President Zia ul Haq is killed when his plane explodes in mid-air., 80,000 people celebrate Nelson Mandela's 70th birthday at a huge concert in the UK, Top-earning pop star Michael Jackson "moonwalks" his way to Europe at the start of a world tour., Legendary Italian racing car magnate Enzo Ferrari dies aged 90, he had retired in 1977., Personal TV sets for airline passengers are introduced by Northwest Airlines in the USA., In the UK, automatic cameras are introduced to catch motorists jumping traffic lights., In Japan, Sony launch the first video walkman which combines a colour TV and video recorder., An Afghan-Soviet space mission blasts off for the orbiting Soviet space station Mir.,Hundreds of thousands are left homeless in Mexico after a hurricane strikes., George Bush, the current US vice-president, wins the presidential election for the Republican Party., Thirty-six people die and 100 are injured when a packed commuter train crashes into another train in the UK, Palestinian Liberation Organization
chairman Yassir Arafat renounces terrorism and recognizes Israeli rights., US sprinter Florence Griffith Joyner (nicknamed Flo-Jo) wins three gold medals at the Seoul Olympics., Canadian sprinter Ben Johnson is stripped of the 100 m Olympic gold medal he won at Seoul after failing a drugs test., UK academic Dr Stephen Hawking has an unlikely bestseller with his book A Brief History of Time., US rock star Roy Orbison, nicknamed the "Big O", dies after suffering a heart attack, aged 52., The Australian Telescope, the largest in the southern hemisphere, is inaugurated, The first unmanned Soviet space shuttle Bieran ("Snowstorm") orbits the Earth twice in a flight of 3 hours 25 mins., Transatlantic optical fibre cable capable to carrying 40,000 simultaneous telephone calls becomes operational, Soviet cosmonauts Vladimir Titov and Musa Manarov set a new space endurance record of over a year, TNT is the second Turner channel is launched and more.
1989:Sunset on Hirohito reign, Democracy protests crushed in Tiananmen Square, Revolution remembered in Paris, The Louvre Pyramid, Ferdinand Marcos the dictator dies in disgrace, The earth moves in San Francisco was a earthquake, Gateway to the West is opened, Tyranny and terror end in Romania, Batman´s 50th anniversary and a new movie was Batman from 1989, Bank of China (I.M. Pei) opens in Hong Kong, Louvre Pyramid (I.M. Pei) opens in Paris, F.W. De Klerk becomes president and begins reform,Worldwide ban on ivory trade agreed, Communist governments overthrown in Eastern Europe, The fall of the Berlin Wall, Dilbert debuts, A1 (comics), The Adventures of Bayou Billy, Arkham Asylum: A Serious House on Serious Earth, Baker Street (comics), Beautiful Stories for Ugly Children, Black Moon Chronicles, The Bogie Man (comics), Cédric (comics), Cheval Noir (comics), The Crow, Cry for Dawn, El Diablo (comics), DirkJan, Eightball (comics), Epicurus the Sage, Fanhunter, The Fat Slags, Finn (comics), Friday (2000 AD), From Hell, Fung Wan, The Fusco Brothers, Green Hornet (comics), Hawk and Dove, Hawkworld, Hellraiser (comics), Hepcats, Herb and Jamaal, Here (comics), Huntress (comics) Jump Start (comic strip), L.E.G.I.O.N., The Mask (comics), Melancholic Princess, Meng and Ecker, O Menino Maluquinho, Moon Knight, The Mostly Unfabulous Social Life of Ethan Green, The New Adventures of Hitler, New Gods, Nick Fury, Agent of S.H.I.E.L.D. (comic book), Norb (comic strip), Nth Man: The Ultimate Ninja, Olaff the Madlander, Outland (comic strip), Piranha Press, Plunk, Poor Arnold's Almanac, Predator (franchise), Pussey!, Quasar (comics), Quasar (Wendell Vaughn), Rat-Man (comics), Real Deal (comics), Red Meat (comic strip), Rock 'N' Roll Comics, The Sandman (comic book), Saviour (comics), Sensei (First Comics), The Seven Mirrors' Stories, Signal to Noise (comics), Skreemer, The Sleeze Brothers, Smut (comics), Space Moose, Squalor (comics), St. Swithin's Day (comics), Trident (UK comics), Twilight X, The Uncensored Mouse, The War (comics), What If (comics), XXXenophile, Back to the Future Part II, Look Who´s Talking, Lethal Weapon 2, Honey, I Shrunk the Kids, Born on the Fourth of July, Krusty the Clown debuts, Alfred J. Kwak debuts, McGee and Me!, Little Nemo: Adventures in Slumberland, Penny Crayon debuts, Wallace and Gromit debuts, Chip and Dale´s Rescue Rangers debuts, The BFG debuts, A Thousand and One Americas (Las Mil y

Unas Americas) debuts, Willy the Sparrow, All Dogs Go to Heaven from Don Bluth, The Little Mermaid from Walt Disney, Los Trotamusicos debuts, La Corona Magica debuts, Oliver and Company in Worldwide, The Super Mario Brothers Super Show debuts, Game Boy, Sega Genesis, The Arsenio Hall Show, Bomberman, The Wizard, Saved by the Bell debuts, Seinfeld debuts, Family Matters debuts, Degrassi High, Bodger & Badger, Woof!, Round the Twist debuts, Canal 33 launches, Telemadrid, Canal 9 and Canal Sur are launches, Langostino, Mel Blanc dies, Bill and Ted´s Excellent Adventures, Do the Right Thing, After a ten-year occupation, the last Soviet troops withdraw from Afghanistan in central Asia., The Iranian Ayatollah Khomeini calls for the death of UK writer Salman Rushdie for blaspheming against Islam., Oil tanker Exxon Valdez runs aground in Alaska, USA, spilling millions of litres of crude oil into Prince William Sound, Ninety-four people are crushed to death and 170 are injured at Hillsborough Stadium in Sheffield, UK, during a football match., The world famous Surrealist painter Salvador Dali dies at the age of 84 in Figueras, Spain., US boxer Mike Tyson retains the world heavyweight title after beating UK boxer Frank Bruno, The Joshua Tree by Irish rock group U2 becomes the first million-selling CD., Dustin Hoffman wins an Oscar for his portrayal of autism in US film Rain Man., The world's first holographic postage stamps are issued by the Austrian postal service., Rupert Murdoch's £25 million Sky television satellite network is launched across Europe., Soviet space probe Phobos orbits Mars and sends back pictures of its moon., Researchers in Toronto, Canada, identify the gene responsible for cystic fibrosis., The Czechoslovakian dissident Vaclav Havel is freed after four months in jail for inciting unrest., Iranian fundamentalist religious leader Ayatollah Khomeini dies in the capital Teheran aged 87., The Solidarity trade union achieves a landslide victory in elections to the parliament in Poland., South African president PW Botha makes a historic visit to Nelson Mandela, the jailed leader of the ANC., UK rock group Pink Floyd stage a spectacular £2 million show in the USSR, Prince's soundtrack album for the hit film Batman tops the music charts all around the world., London theatres dim their lights when the legendary UK actor Lord Laurence Olivier dies aged 82., US cyclist Greg LeMond wins the Tour de France in Paris, with an average speed of 54.4 km/h (34 mph)., NASA's Magellan space probe blasts off from the USA on its way to Venus., The large electron positron collider (LEP) is inaugurated at the research centre in Switzerland., NASA's Voyager 2 space probe sends back stunning pictures of Neptune's moon Triton, The first newspapers to be printed with non-rub ink are distributed by Associated Newspapers in the UK., In South Africa eight jailed nationalists, including anti-apartheid campaigner Walter Sisulu, are freed., A new Hungarian republic is declared, with a constitution that allows multi-party democracy., East German leader Erich Honecker is ousted by his own Communist Party and is replaced by Egon Krenz., Czechoslovakia's Vaclav Havel is elected as the country's first non communist president for 41 years., Famous US song writer Irving Berlin, whose songs include White Christmas, dies aged 101., The Nobel Peace Prize is awarded to the Dalai Lama, the exiled spiritual leader of Tibet., Rudolf Nureyev dances with the Soviet Kirov Ballet for the first time since he defected to the West in 1961., Romanian gymnast and Olympic gold medallist Nadia Comaneci seeks political asylum in Hungary, Archaeologists discover the remains of Shakespeare's Globe Theatre in London, UK., A worldwide ban on trading in ivory is agreed at a convention in Switzerland., NASA's space probe Galileo blasts off from Cape Canaveral, USA, at the start of a six-year journey to Jupiter., The 16,300 km (10,188 mile) national highway round the coast of Australia is completed after 15 years and more.

THE END OF THE COLD WAR:Soviet propaganda, The arms race, The fall of the Berlin wall, Toppling communism, Film mirrors life is Dr. Stangelove, Only a game? is This Spy Ring game, Soviet reformer is Mikhail Gorbachev, Food queues was Gorbachev, March for peace and more.

1990:Nelson Mandela´s first taste of freedom, Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles becomes a movie, NASA keeps an eye on the stars was the Hubble Space Telescope, Double murder shocks the world in Roermond, BSE leads to worldwide beef ban, Saddam Hussein´s sick show, Germany reunited, Emperor Akihito tries out heavenly throne, Mary Robinson is the New Irish president, Poles get to go to the polls, Free elections in Romania, Czechoslovakia and Hungary, East and West Germany reunite as one nation, The Atlantis Chronicles, Atomic Age (comics), Baby Blues, Between Friends (comics), Big Numbers (comics), Black Knight (Marvel Comics), Blinky (comics), Boiled Angel, The Books of Magic, Brat Pack (comics), Breathtaker, The Buckets, Cages (comics), Tom Corbett, Space Cadet, Creature Feature (comic strip), Criminal Macabre: A Cal McDonald Mystery, Carland Cross (character), Deathlok, Diddl, Elektra Lives Again, Enemy Ace, Etrigan the Demon, Eva & Adam, Ghost Rider (comic book),

Hard Boiled (comics), Hate (comics), Jerry Spring, Joe Bar Team, Judge Dredd Megazine, Knights of Pendragon, Knights of the Dinner Table, Largo Winch, The Last American, Lensman (comics), Lobo (DC Comics), Logan's Run (comics), Marvo the Wonder Chicken, The Men in Black (comics), The New Adventures of Hitler, New Warriors, Overboard (comic strip), Pervo-Kris, Pickles (comic strip), Punaniska, Real Stuff, Red Ears, Revolver (comics), Rogan Gosh (comics),, Shade, the Changing Man (Vertigo), Silo (comics), Stalkers (comics), Starjammers, Steed and Mrs. Peel, The Thanos Quest, Time Flies (comics), Tom the Dancing Bug, Twilight (comic book), World Without End (comics), Ghost, Pretty Woman, Dances with Wolves, Back to the Future Part III, Die Hard 2, Kindergarten Cop, The Little Mermaid wins for Oscars and wents to Worldwide, Cartoon All-Stars to the Rescue, Tiny Toon Adventures debuts, Talespin debuts, Captain Planet and the Planeteers debuts, Fox´s Peter Pan and The Pirates debuts, Bobby´s World debuts, Doctor Augustus P. Crumhorn debuts in Danger Mouse since Season 9, Count Beajeaux (Conde Bonguau) and Blancbec debuts in The Return of Dogtanian (El Retorno de D´Artacan), Gary, Goo Goo and Gilbert debuts in The Adventures of the Smurfs, Tom and Jerry Kids debuts, Potsworth and Co debuts, The Crowville Chronicles debuts, Samurai Pizza Cats debuts, The Dreamstone, War of the Birds, Widget the World Watcher, Peter in Magicland (Peterchens Mondfahrt), The Rescuers Down Under from Walt Disney, Ducktales the Movie: Treasure of the Lost Lamp, Despertaferro, Peraustrinia 2004, Timmy Brisby´s 65th Anniversary and his new movie was Timmy Brisby: The Movie, The Nutcracker Prince debuts, Bugs Bunny´s 50th Anniversary, Don Coyote and Sancho Panda, The New Adventures of The Fox and the Crow, Little Rosey, Twin Peaks, Final Fantasy, Super Mario Bros. 3, Dr. Mario, It (1990), Edward Scissorhands, Blossom, Goodfellas, The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air, Law & Order, America´s Funniest Home Videos debuts, Road to Avonlea, Are You Afraid of the Dark?, The 1990 Italy World Cup, Beverly Hills, 90210, Dizzy Heights debuts, Nellie the Elephant debuts, Antena 3, Telecinco and Canal+ from Spain launches, Eva y Adan agencia matrimonial,In Panama, General Noriega surrenders to US authorities and is charged with drug trafficking, The central committee of the USSR Communist Party votes to end the party's monopoly on power., The Sandinista government in Nicaragua concedes victory in an election to a US-backed coalition, In the Australian general election, the ruling Labour Party, which is led by Bob Hawke, is returned for a fourth term., US boy band New Kids On The Block top the pop charts on both sides of the Atlantic., US tennis player John McEnroe is kicked out of the Australian Open contest for bad behaviour, A UK man is fined for refusing to remove a 8-m (26-ft) high fibreglass shark from the roof of his house, New Zealander Richard Hadlee becomes the first cricketer to take an incredible 400 test wickets., US shuttle astronauts rescue a damaged space lab and bring it to Earth., A worldwide ban on ivory trading comes into effect to protect elephants from dying out.,Japan launches the first space probe to be sent to the Moon for 14 years., Four asteroids discovered in 1982 and 1983 are named after Sixties' pop group The Beatles., Anti-communist demonstrations disrupt the USSR's May Day parade that is held each year in Moscow., Ion Iliescu and the National Salvation Front triumph in the first free elections to be held in Romania since 1937., In Algeria, the fundamentalist Islamic Salvation Front wins control of municipal and provincial assemblies., After holding them for seven days. Saddam Hussein of Iraq frees all Western women and children hostages., Czech-born US tennis player Martina Navratilova wins a record ninth Wimbledon singles' title., In the soccer World Cup West Germany beat Argentina 1-0 in the final in Italy. ,Opera tenors José Carreras, Placido Domingo, and Luciano Pavarotti sing together in Italy., UK rock group Pink Floyd perform a free, open-air version of The Wall in Berlin, Germany, Robert Maxwell's new newspaper The European is launched throughout Europe., Home-produced beef is banned in UK schools as concern over BSE grows., Disney's Dick Tracy, the first film to be made in digital sound. is released in the USA, Japanese company Sony produce the revolutionary Data Discman, an electronic book., John Major becomes the new UK prime minister after Margaret Thatcher is forced to resign, The United Nations sets a deadline for Iraq to withdraw its troops from Kuwait before force is used., UK and French tunnellers break through and shake hands 30 m (98 ft) under the Channel after three years of digging, Socialist Party leader Slobodan Milosovic is elected president in Serbia's first free elections for 50 years., Record-breaking UK cricketer Sir Leonard Hutton dies aged 74., Child actor Macauley Culkin stars in US box office smash hit comedy film Home Alone., Best-selling UK author Roald Dahl, famous for his children's stories, dies aged 74, Mexican writer Octavio Paz is named winner of the Nobel Prize for Literature., The Pope consecrates the world's biggest church on the Ivory Coast, European space probe Ulysses blasts off from the USA on a five-year journey to the Sun., Swiss solar car Spirit of Biel wins the world solar challenge in Australia., Toyohito Akiyama from Japan is the first farepaying passenger in space, Milli Vanilli are exposed as actors who mime their words and more.

1991:Dust settles in desert was the Gulf war, Famine hits and Sudan starves, Karaoke for kids are tape recorders, Cyclone devastates Bangladesh, Sonic the Hedgehog, Yeltsin to the rescue, Hostage released after 1,934 days is John McCarthy, Soviet Union

crumbles, Dubrovnik under Serb siege, Gorbachev resigns as the Soviet Union collapses, Agent Liberty, Al's Baby, Angel and the Ape, Armageddon 2001, Art School Confidential (comics), Badlands (comics), Ballard Street, Betty (comic strip), Bible John- A Forensic Meditation, Big Nate, Billi 99, Black Canary (comic book), Black Hood ,Blast! (comics), Bone (comics), Captain Confederacy, Car Warriors (comics), Cybersix, Dirty Plotte, A Distant Soil, Doctor Gorpon, For Heaven's Sake (comic strip), H. P. Lovecraft's Cthulhu: The Whisperer in Darkness, Hothead Paisan, Hyde and Shriek (comics), I Am Legend (comics), The Infinity Gauntlet, Ironwood (comics), Kid Eternity, The King of Blaze (manhua), Lost Girls (graphic novel), Lout Rampage!, Mighty Mutanimals, Mister E, Naughty Bits, Next Men, NFL SuperPro, Nosferatu: Plague of Terror, OMAC (Buddy Blank), Optic Nerve (comics), Oruchuban Ebichu, Oz Squad, Palookaville (comics), Punisher P.O.V., Red Razors,Real Life Adventures, Rubber Blanket ,Sherman's Lagoon, Sin City, Skull & Bones (DC Comics), Sleepwalker (comics), A Small Killing, Small Saves, The Texas Chainsaw Massacre (comics), The Legion of Night, Three Kingdoms (manhua), Too Much Coffee Man,Toxic Crusaders, Toxic!, The Transmutation of Ike Garuda, Tundra (comic strip), War of the Gods (comics), Watch Out Beagle's About Legs Weaver, Weaveworld (comics), Wonder Man, X-Men, You Can with Beakman and Jax, Zit (comic), Terminator 2: Judgment Day, Robin Hood: Prince of Thieves, Hook, JFK, The Silence of the Lambs, Hot Shots!, Cape Feare, Thelma & Louise, Rover Dangerfield from Warner Bros, The Rescuers Down Under wents to worldwide, Beauty and the Beast from Walt Disney, An American Tail: Fievel Goes West, Rugrats, Doug and Ren and Stimpy are three debuts, Darkwing Duck debuts, Mr. Bogus debuts, Victor and Hugo: Bunglers in Crime debuts, The Cobi Troupe debuts, Delfy and His Friends (Delfy y Sus Amigos) debuts, Spider! debuts, Little Dracula debuts, Sega Game Gear, Super Nintendo, Dinosaurs by Jim Henson, Dragon´s Lair 2: Time Warp, Street Fighter 2: The World Warrior, Taz-Mania aired, The Princess and the Goblin, The Magic Riddle, Balin the Mouse (Neptuno Films), Rock-a-Doodle, Clarissa Explains it All, E! News, Home Improvement, Step by Step, Northwood, The Red Green Show, Brum, Leonie Lowenherz debuts, Taller mecanico, Las chicas de hoy en dia, El oro y el barro, Farmacia de Guardia, Abu Iyad (Salah Khalaf), the deputy leader of the Palestinian Liberation Organization, is assassinated., US generals Powell and Schwarzkopf lead troops in Operation Desert Storm to liberate Kuwait from Iraq., Prime Minister Guilio Andreotti announces that Italy's 49th postwar government is to resign., European Community foreign ministers meet in Strasbourg, France, and agree to end sanctions against South Africa., Richard Branson and Per Lindstrand cross the Pacific in a hot air balloon., UK prima ballerina Dame Margot Fonteyn dies in Panama aged 71., Kevin Costner's US film Dances With Wolves wins seven Acadamy Awards., The USA wins the first women's rugby world cup in the UK, Soviet space station Salyut 7 re-enters the Earth's atmosphere and crash lands., Helen Sharman is chosen to be the first UK citizen to go into space., US fast-food chain McDonald's launches a new low. fat hamburger called the McLean., Soviet space station Mix comes within 19 km (12 miles) of colliding with a cargo craft.,More than 60 people die in street battles in South Africa's black townships, Indian prime minister Rajiv Gandhi is assassinated by a suicide bomber during a national election rally near Madras., Slovenia and Croatia declare independence from the communist Yugoslavian federation of republics., Sixty-year-old Boris Yeltsin wins Russia's first free elections, defeating official communist candidates., Sweden wins the Eurovision Song Contest in Rome, Italy., A pop concert in the UK raises £57 million in aid of Kurdish refugees., At the Tokyo athletics championships in Japan, US long-jumper Mike Powell sets a new world record of 8.95 m (29.36 ft)., Sony demonstrate the digital sound of the mini disc in Japan., A treaty declares Antarctica to be a "continent for peace and science"., Thousands of people arrive in Hawaii, USA, to watch a total solar eclipse which lasts for four minutes., The European Remote Sensing satellite (ERS-1), Europe's first environmental satellite, goes into orbit, Burmese opposition leader Aung Suu Kyi, who is under house arrest, is awarded the Nobel Peace Prize., UK publishing tycoon Robert Maxwell falls off his yacht and drowns near the Canary Islands., European Community heads of government meet in Maastricht, Holland, to agree a treaty on closer economic union, Mikhail Gorbachev resigns as premier of the USSR, which is replaced by a Russian Federation, Exiled Soviet Nobel prize winner Alexander Solshenitsyn is officially cleared of treason in the USSR., Canadian singer Bryan Adams has a record-breaking hit with the song Everything I Do, I Do It For You, UK rock star Freddie Mercury, the lead singer of popular group Queen, dies of AIDS in London aged 45., Fifteen-year-old Judit Polgar from Hungary becomes the world's youngest ever chess grandmaster., The Big Issue, a new magazine sold by homeless people in aid of the homeless, goes on sale in London, UK., The almost intact body of a 4,000-year old prehistoric hunter is found in the Tyrolean Alps, Austria, Eight people are sealed inside the giant Biosphere II greenhouse in the USA for a two-year experiment, A joint UK-Australian team makes the first flight over Mount Everest in a hot air balloon, Super Mario World, Timmy Brisby prepares his network was Cartoon Network and more.

1992:Independence recognized, Race riots rock Los Angeles and beating Rodney King, Vatican admits Galileo right, Earth summit opens in Rio de Janeiro, Monetary crisis causes chaos, Horrors of Serbian death camps,

Monetary crisis causes chaos in the Exchange Rate Mechanism, A right royal ¨Annus horribilis¨ was Charles and Diana split up, More than 60 world leaders attend UN earth summit in Brazil, Color videophones are introduced, Adam Warlock and the Infinity Watch, Arion the Immortal, Army of Darkness (comics), Azrael (DC Comics), Cazador (comics), Clara de noche, Close to Home (comic strip), The Clown (2000 AD), Cobalt 60 (comics), Betty Cooper, La Cucaracha (comic strip), Death's Head, Digitek (comics), Doghead (comics), Eclipso: The Darkness Within, L'Élève Ducobu, Feel 100%, Frame 137, Frank (comics), Frank in the River, Froid Équateur, Gipsy (comics), Gold Digger (comics), Green Lantern: Mosaic, Grey Legacy, H.A.R.D. Corps, The Hacker Files, Hammerlocke, Harbinger (comic book), Hero Hesman ,The Infinity War, Jean-Paul Valley, Knights of Pendragon, Lowlife (comics), Madam & Eve, Marvel 2099,Mélusine (comics), Metabarons, Migraine Boy, Morbius, the Living Vampire, Motormouth (comics), Non Sequitur (comic strip), Peepshow (comics), Pitt (character), Prophet (character), Protectors (comics), The Punisher War Zone (1992 series), Ramba (comics), Ravage 2099, Shadowman (comics), Sigmund (comics), Spawn (character), The Spiffy Adventures of McConey, Supreme (character), Tales from Beyond Science, TekWorld, The Thing from Another World (comics), Timecop (comics), Titeuf, Tom Vitoin, Underworld (comic strip), Unity (comics), Valiant Universe, Virus (comics), Warheads (comics), Warlord (DC Comics), Wetworks (comics), Wildcats (comics), X-O Manowar, Youngblood (comics), Batman Returns, Home Alone 2: Lost in New York, Basic Instinct, Lethal Weapon 3, Sister Act, Bram Stoker´s Dracula, Basic Instinct, Tiny Toon Adventures: How I Spent My Vacation the world´s direct-to-video animated movie, Timmy Brisby: The Movie´s successor is Tom and Jerry: The Movie, Beauty and the Beast wins for Oscars Awards and wents to Worldwide, Ralph Bakshi´s Cool World, Ferngully: The Last Rainforest, Bébé´s Kids, The Itsy Bitsy Spider, Porco Rosso, Batman: the Animated Series debuts, Goof Troop debuts, Bonkers debuts on Raw Toonage, Eek! the Cat debuts, Bill Plimpton´s The Tune, Noddy´s Toyland Adventures debuts, Sandokan (BRB International) debuts, Las Autenticas Aventuras del Professor Thompson debuts, Cartoon Network launches, Aladdin from Walt Disney, The Muppets Christmas Carol, Coccocinel, Chip et Charly, Jim Henson and Nelvana´s Dog City, The Legend of the North Wind (La Legend del Viento del Norte), Freddie as F.R.O.7., The Addams Family (1992), Melrose Place, SNICK, California Dreams, Sonic the Hedgehog 2, The Big Comfy Couch, Christopher Crocodile debuts, Funnybones debuts, Junglies debuts, Unforgiven, The Rosey and Buddy Show, Capitol Critters and Fish Police (TV Series), Fievel´s American Tails, Menos lobo, Boutros Boutros Ghali of Egypt takes over the post of secretary general of the United Nations., Betty Boothroyd is the first ever woman to become speaker of the UK's House of Commons., In a national referendum. Danish voters reject the Maastricht Treaty by voting against closer European political union., A steel corset is tightened around the Leaning Tower of Pisa in Italy, which is slowly sinking each year., Paul Simon becomes the first US star to perform in sanction-free South Africa., Film star Elizabeth Taylor celebrates her 60th birthday at Sleeping Beauty's Castle in Disneyland, USA., Costing £6.4 million, the massive Euro Disney amusement park opens on the outskirts of Paris, France.,Expo 92 World Fair opens in Seville, Spain, Legendary film star Marlene Dietrich dies in her apartment in Paris, France, aged 91., Japan launches a 285. tonne ship. Yamoto One, run on superconducting magnets., On the 517th birthday of its namesake, the computer virus Michelangelo infects IBM computers., The USA and the UK promise to phase out CFCs by 1995 five years earlier than planned., Russian cosmonaut Sergei Krikalyev returns to Earth after ten months in the Mir space station., Huge demonstrations are held in Germany protesting against the extreme racist violence sweeping the country., Demonstrations are held all over Latin America to mark the 500th anniversary of the arrival of Christopher Columbus., Democrat candidate 46-year-old Bill Clinton of Arkansas is elected to be the 42nd president of the USA, A devastating earthquake in Indonesia kills 1.500 people and leaves many more homeless, 10,000 competitors from many countries take part in the Barcelona 92 Olympics in Spain., Poet and dramatist Derek Walcott becomes the first Caribbean writer to win the Nobel Prize for Literature., US country artist Garth Brooks has a record four albums in the US top 20 chart at the same time,, Agatha Christie's West End hit show The Mousetrap celebrates its 40th anniversary in London, UK, Columbia lands after the longest-ever US shuttle mission lasting a total of 14 days., Twelve European countries agree to an unconditional ban on dumping waste at sea., The hole in the opone layer stretches over the coast of South America for the first time.,Virtual reality is developed by the US Spectrum Holobyte company as a 3-D video game, Peyo the creator of The

Smurfs (Les Schtroumpfs) dies, Garth Brooks has two albums in the US top three, Rudolf Ising co-creator of Timmy Brisby dies and more.
1993:Ice walk ends are Dr. Michael Stroud and Sir. Ranulph Fiennes, New York Trade Center blast, Happy Birthday Harley-Davidson!, Yitzhak Rabin and Yassir Arafat sign peace accord, Yeltsin sends in the tanks, The road to peace in Ireland, Portable photocopiers go on sale worldwide, 9 Chickweed Lane, 1963 (comics), Acme Novelty Library, Age of Reptiles (comics), Animal Mystic, Big Dave (character), Black Axe (comic book), Black Canary (comic book), Black Orchid (comics), Blackmask (comic book), Blaze: Legacy of Blood, Bloodlines (comics), Bloodstrike (Image Comics), Brainwaves (comic strip), Brigade (comics), Cable (comic book), Catwoman (comic book), Cavewoman, The Children's Crusade (comics), Cyber Weapon Z, Cyberspace 3000, A Dame to Kill For, Daredevil: Man Without Fear, Daredevil: The Man Without Fear, Dark Dominion, Darker Image, Deadpool, Death: The High Cost of Living, Deathblow (comics), Deathmate, Doom 2099, The Duplex Planet, The Duplex, Ectokid, Enigma (Vertigo), The Extremist (comics), FF med Bert, Fire (Image Comics), Firekind, Fokke & Sukke, Galaxion, Gaturro, Gene Dogs, Genetix (comics), Ghost World (comics), The Golden Age (comics), The Good Guys (comics), Harke & Burr, Hellboy Universe, Hokum & Hex ,Hyperkind, Icon (character), Idiotland, The Infinity Crusade, It Was the War of the Trenches, Kane (comics), Kid Eternity, Kid Paddle, Killpower, Lazarus Ledd, Lights Out (manhwa), Like a Velvet Glove Cast in Iron, Lobo (comic book), Mantra (comics), The Maxx, Meat Cake (comics), The Melting Pot (comics), Meteor Man (comics), Midnight Sons Unlimited, Missionary Man (comics), Mort the Dead Teenager, Mys-Tech, Negative Burn, Ninjak, Outsiders (comics), Plasmer, Platinum Grit, Pluggers, Queen's Counsel (comic strip), Robin (comic book), Sachs and Violens, Saint Sinner (comics), Sandman Mystery Theatre, Satan's Six, Scarab (Vertigo), Sebastian O, Showcase (comics), Sinister Dexter, Slaughterbowl, Spyke (limited series), Stanley and His Monster, S.T.A.R. Corps, Stormwatch (comics), Strangers in Paradise, Super Soldiers, Tales of the Jedi, The Thing from Another World (comics), Thunderstrike (Eric Masterson), Too Much Coffee Man,Tottering-by-Gently, Trencher (comics), Tribe (comics), Ultraverse, Vertigo Comics, Warrior Nun Areala, Warriors of Plasm, WildStar (Image Comics), Yo, Matías, Jurassic Park, Mrs. Doubtfire, The Fugitive, Schindler´s List, Sleepless in Seattle, Always Coca-Cola, The Animals of Farthing Wood, Beavis and Butthead debuts, Aladdin have Oscars Awards and wents to Worldwide, Richard Williams´s The Thief and The Cobbler, The Nightmare Before Christmas from Tim Burton and Walt Disney, Once Upon a Forest, 2 Stupid Dogs debuts, Swat Kats debuts, Bonkers creates his TV series, Biker Mice from Mars debuts, Rocko´s Modern Life debuts, Animaniacs debuts, Avenger Penguins debuts, Willy Fog have a sequel called Willy Fog 2 like Journey to the Center of the Earth and 20.000 Leagues Under the Sea, Basket Fever, Wallace and Gromit in The Wrong Trousers, VeggieTales debuts, Batman: Mask of the Phantasm, The Dogfather and the gang are debuts in The New Pink Panther TV Series, Star Fox debuts, Dr. Quinn, Medicine Woman, Walker, Texas Ranger, Power Rangers debuts, The X-Files, The Nanny debuts, Theodore Tugboat debuts, We´re Back! A Dinosaur Story, The Adventures of Dudley the Dragon debuts, Albert the Fifth Musketeer, The Stone Protectors, Twinkle the Dream Being, Live and Kicking, GMTV, El Gran Juego de la Oca, ¿Qué apostamos?, Cartuja Discovery Park (Cartuja: El Parque de Los Descubrimientos) launches from 1993 to 1996, Chinese president Jiang Zemin amends the constitution to include a "socialist market economy"., Chris Hani, black rights hero and head of the Communist Party in South Africa, is assassinated outside his Johannesburg home., Eighty-five members of a cult in the USA die in a self-inflicted blaze after a 51-day siege of their Waco compound., UN sanctions against Serbia come into force after the Bosnian-Serb parliament rejects a peace plan., The UK's Grand National horse race is declared null and void after three false starts., A record 79-day circumnavigation of the globe in a catamaran is completed by French yachtsman Bruno Peyron., Australian Damian Taylor beats seven women to win Queensland's Miss Wintersun Queen contest., Two astronauts make a record 5-hour space walk from the US space shuttle Endeavour, Norwegian Erling Kagge is the first person to complete a solo trek on foot to the South Pole., Barbara Harmer from the UK becomes Concorde's first woman pilot on a British Airways flight., The first long-lasting perfume, Shiseido Eau de Cologne, is launched in Japan; it takes nine hours to fade., The Nobel Peace Prize is awarded jointly to ANC president Nelson Mandela and South African president FW de Klerk., Benazir Bhutto, who was ousted from power three years ago, is sworn in as prime minister of Pakistan for a second term., The Maastricht Treaty finally comes into force and the

European Community is renamed the European Union., Aboriginals in Australia win the right to claim land lost to European colonizers more than 200 years ago, Jacqui Mofokeng is the first black woman ever to be crowned Miss South Africa., US rapper Snoop Doggy Dogg is arrested on a murder charge at the MTV Music Awards., Nourredine Morceli from Algeria sets a new world record for running the mile., International Olympic Committee awards the year 2000 games to Australia., The Grand Hassan II Mosque in Morocco, which has a 175-m (574-ft) minaret, is dedicated., Eight people emerge at the end of a two-year US experiment living in a self-sufficient "Biosphere"., The first voice-operated TV/radio remote control is launched worldwide., The first passenger trains travel through the Channel Tunnel, Pop artist Prince changes his name to a symbol, Timmy Brisby and the Gang are watching Jurassic Park and more.

THE INFORMATION AGE:Space talk, Home computers, videophones, virtual reality, robots, Mobile phones, Electronic money, Computer design, Computer-sensitive, Techno-movie was Toy Story, Virtual Reality and more. 1994:Carnage in Sarajevo central market, War in Rwanda, Wacko Jacko ties the knot was Michael Jackson and Lisa Marie Presley, OJ Simpson a fallen hero, Ride with a view was A gigantic rollercoaster in Blackpool, England, Russian Troops sent into Chechenia, The flag of the new South Africa is raised,Ulysses Space Probe flies over the Sun´s poles, The first MTV Europe Music Awards are held, A.K.A. Goldfish, Action Girl Comics, The Adventures of Cyclops and Phoenix, American Freak, Angry Youth Comix, Babe (comics), Babylon 5 (comics), Backlash (Marc Slayton), Barb Wire,, The Big Book Of, The Big Fat Kill, The Biologic Show, Blackwulf, The Books of Magic, Breed (comics), Bruce Lee (comics), Charlemagne (comics), City of Glass (comics), ClanDestine, Committed (comic strip), Compu-toon, Congorilla, The Corps (comics), Danger Unlimited, Dark Empire, Deadpool, Deathstroke: Journey's End, Dogs of War (comics), Doofus (comics), DragonStrike (board game), Fantastic Force, Fiddle O Diddle, Fighting Figurines, Force Works, Gen^{13}, Generation X (comics), Ghost Rider 2099, Hellboy, Hellboy: Seed of Destruction, Huntress (comics), Indiana Jones and the Iron Phoenix, Instant Piano, The Invisibles, Iron Empires, Janu the Jungle Boy, Judge Dredd (comic book), Judge Karyn, Kabuki (David W. Mack comic), Emrys Killebrew, Kindred (Image Comics), Legion of Super-Heroes (1994 team), Maakies, Mallard Fillmore, Moga Mobo, Mutts, The Mystery Play, Nambul: War Stories, The Pain – When Will It End?, Penthouse Comix, The Power of Shazam!, Primal Force, Prudence & Caution, Archie Meets the Punisher, R.E.B.E.L.S., Rascals in Paradise (comics), Scud: The Disposable Assassin, Senninha, The Sensual Santa, Showcase (comics), Speed Bump, Starman (DC Comics), The Tale of One Bad Rat, Team 7, Thatch (comic strip), THB (comics),, The Contest (DC Comics), The Tragical Comedy or Comical Tragedy of Mr. Punch, Triumph (comics), Tyrant (Spiderbaby Grafix), Underwater (comics),War Dancer, War Machine (comic book), Weltschmerz (comics), Will to Power (comics), Xenobrood, Zero Hour: Crisis in Time!, Forrest Gump, The Flintstones (live-action movie), The Mask, Dumb and Dumber, Four Weddings and a Funeral, The Critic debuts, Duckman debuts, The Lion King from Walt Disney, Dr. Zitbag´s Transylvania Pet Shop, Sylvan the Fox (Sylvan el Zorro) and The Woodkeeper (El Guardabosques) are both debuts, Pompoko, Asterix´s 35th Anniversary and his new movie was Asterix Conquers America, The Cosgrove Hall Films and BRB International All-Stars Show aired, Detective Bogey debuts, Gargoyles debuts, The Land Before Time´s direct-to-video sequels, Aaahh! Real Monsters debuts, Felidae debuts, The Pagemaster debuts, Katie and Orbie debuts, JumpStart debuts, The Shawshank Redemption, Sniffles the Mouse´s 55th Anniversary, Earthworm Jim, Space Ghost Coast to Coast, Timmy Brisby is preparing for NIMH Detective for next year, All That, VR Troopers, Party of Five, Chicago Hope, ER, Friends, ReBoot, Poblenou, The Magic Adventures of Mumfie, William Wish´s Wellingtons, Thumbelina and A Troll in Central Park, Cinemania, Documania, Cineclassics and Minimax launches, Teledeporte, Heartbreak High, The 1994 USA World Cup, The 1994 Lillehammer Winter Olympics, India's legendary "Bandit Queen" Phoolan Devi, heroine for many lowcaste Indians, is released from prison, Right-wing media baron Sivio Berlusconi and his Forza Italia party wins the Italian general election., ANC leader Nelson Mandela is elected as the first black president of South Africa, Russian dissident novelist Alexander Solzhenitsyn returns to his homeland after 20 years spent in exile in the USA., Norwegian speed skater Johann Koss sets three world records at the Olympics., Twenty-seven-year-old US rock star Kurt Cobain, of Nirvana, kills

himself with a shotgun at his Seattle home., US film Pulp Fiction, directed by Quentin Tarantino, wins the an award at the Cannes Film Festival., UK rock singer George Michael loses a lengthy legal battle with his record company, Sony., An interactive television system allows US viewers to find out more about what is on,
Mercedez-Benz and Swatch unveil their new bubble car, the Swatchmobile, planned for 1997., In Germany, the new Eurofighter 200 makes a successful first test flight., The Channel Tunnel linking France and the UK is officially inaugurated., President Kim Il Sung of North Korea, the century's longest-ruling dictator, dies after a heart attack aged 82., The United Nations authorizes a US-led invasion of Haiti to drive out the military government and restore President Aristide, More than 900 people die when toll-on, roll-off ferry Estonia sinks in heavy weather in the Baltic Sea, The IRA announces a ceasefire, paving the way for political settlement in the Northern Ireland conflict., Brazil wins the soccer world cup in the USA, after beating Italy in an exciting penalty shoot-out., The World Series is cancelled as major league baseball players in the USA strike over salary capping, Boxer George Foreman, aged 47. beats Michael Moorer, aged 27, to win a world heavyweight title., UK writer John Osborne, famous for the "kitchen sink" play Look Back In Anger, dies aged 65., Gigantic fireballs are produced in space when 21 fragments of a comet crash into the planet Jupiter., US astronaut Col Mark Lee makes the first untethered space walk for a decade, using a jet pack., Kansai International Airport, built on a specially created artificial island, is opened in Japan., Clear pictures of galaxies in their infancies, taken by Hubble Space Telescope, are published and more.
ENDING APARTHEID:Apartheid, Nelson Mandela´s release, The long road to equality, End of apartheid laws, Economic sanctions are diamonds, Programme of reform, A new future, Popular opposition, Electoral queues and more.
1995:Kobe devastated, Blast in the heart of America in Oklahoma City, Peace celebrated in Hiroshima, Yitzhak Rabin the israeli premier assassinated, Sony Playstation the game technology, Nigerian writer executed, Peace plan for Bosnia, US Report predicts that E-mail will overtake fax, Introduction of Criminal Justice Act threatens UK Ravers, Æon Flux: the Herodotus File, Agents of Law, Akiko (comic book), Alterniverse, The Amazing Scarlet Spider, Archie's Holiday Fun Digest, The Third Argument, Astro City, Avengers/Ultraforce, , The Big Guy and Rusty the Boy Robot, Black Hole (comics), Blood Pack, Blood Pack (comics), Bob, the Galactic Bum, Captain America and Nick Fury: Blood Truce, Captain Atom (Atlas Publications), Chiaroscuro: The Private Lives of Leonardo da Vinci, Citizen Dog (comic strip), Cybernary, Dark Empire, Dark Town, De cape et de crocs, Death Race 2020, Death Rattle (comics), Druid (comic book), Egypt (comics), Extreme Justice, Fury of S.H.I.E.L.D., Garulfo, Gen¹³, Generation Tesla, Ghost (Dark Horse Comics), Mr. Hero the Newmatic Man, The Horrorist (comics), I Was Killing When Killing Wasn't Cool, Impulse (DC Comics), Indiana Jones and the Spear of Destiny, Industrial Gothic, Insanity Streak, Jinx (Image Comics), Johnny the Homicidal Maniac, Kill Your Boyfriend, Lady Justice (comics), The Last Avengers Story, Let Dai, Marley Davidson, Marvel Edge, Mega Dragon and Tiger, Minimum Wage (comics), New Gods, Nocturnals, Optic Nerve (comics), Over the Hedge, Pakkins' Land, Planet of the Symbiotes, Pondus, Preacher (comics), Primortals, Punisher (1995 series), Reality Check (comics), Rhymes with Orange, Rogue (Marvel Comics), Ruins (comics), Sandman Midnight Theatre, Scarlet Spider (comic book), Showcase (comics), Skeleton Key (comics), Skrull Kill Krew, Slow Wave, Sovereign Seven, The Spectacular Scarlet Spider, Starjammers, Stone Soup (comic strip), Strangehaven, Stray Bullets (comics), Sun Zi's Tactics, Tainted (comics), Tank Girl, Team One, Underworld Unleashed, Untold Tales of Spider-Man, Web of Scarlet Spider, WildStar (Image Comics), Wildstorm Rising, Witchblade, Workforce (comics), Zero Zero (comics), Die Hard with a Vengeance, Apollo 13, GoldenEye, Batman Forever, Waterworld, Casper, Seven (New Line), Freakazoid! debuts, The Shnookums and Meat Funny Cartoon Show debuts, The Pebble and the Penguin, Dr. Katz, Professional Therapist, Pocahontas from Walt Disney, Toy Story, Scratch and Crow, Dexter´s Laboratory, The Powerpuff Girls, Johnny Bravo and Cow and Chicken are debuts in World Premiere Toons, Balto releases, Fantomcat debuts, The Mozart Band (La Banda de Mozart) and Historia de Canarias are debuts,The Street Cleaners (Los Limpiadores de Calles) debuts, A Goofy Movie, Mickey Mouse in Runaway Brain, Bugs Bunny´s 55th Anniversary, Timmy Brisby´s 70th Anniversary, Wallace and Gromit in A Close Shave, Windows 95 launches, Gadget Boy and Heather debuts, The Sylvester and Tweety Mysteries is aired, Cartoon Planet, WCW Monday Nitro, The Drew Carey Show, MADTV, Oakie Doke debuts, Little Bear debuts, Wimzie´s House debuts, Wolves, Witches and Giants, Father Ted debuts, Medico de familia, Casa para dos, Father Ted, Malhacao, The Tokyo subway in Japan is paralysed by a deadly sarin nerve gas attack that kills ten people., Millions of people around the world celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Allies! Victory in Europe (VE) day., Newly elected French president Jacques Chirac announces the resumption of nuclear testing in the Pacific, After massive environmental protest, Shell UK abandons plans to dump an old oil

platform in the North Sea., Paul McCartney announces that The Beatles will release a new record., Superman star Christopher Reeve is paralysed after falling off a horse in Virginia, USA., South Africa wins the rugby world cup, beating New Zealand 15-12 in the final, Astronomers in Hawaii find a galaxy 15 billion light years away from Earth., Space shuttle Discovery crew member Michael Foale becomes the first Briton to walk in space., Scientists reveal that a huge iceberg has broken away from the continent of Antarctica, Russian cosmonaut Valeri Polyakov lands after spending a record 438 days in space., US satellites and spy planes spot mass graves in the Bosnian town of Srebrenica, giving evidence of genocide in the war., A US jury of ten women and two men find OJ Simpson not guilty of the murders of his wife Nicole and her friend., Louis Farrakhan, leader of the Nation of Islam in the USA, leads 400.000 black men on a march through Washington DC., UK trader Nick Leeson is given a sixand-a half year jail sentence in Singapore after the collapse of Barings Bank, Legendary Argentine racing driver Juan Manuel Fangio dies in Buenos Aires aged 84., In Hollywood, USA, Home Alone star Macaulay Culkin sacks his father as manager., Seamus Heaney, a 57-year-old poet from Ireland, is awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature., French film director Louis Malle, whose films include Au Revoir Les Enfants, dies aged 63., Analysis of fossils found in Spain prove hunans reached Europe earlier than thought., Antarctic survey reveals that the fall in ozone levels is detectable in summer as well as spring., France explodes a nuclear bomb in an underground test at Mururoa Atoll in the Pacific, in Egypt, the tomb of the legendary Queen Nefertiti opens to visitors for the first time and more.
MUSIC IN THE NINETIES:Country sounds like Garth Brooks, Michael Jackson and U2, Rap it up! like Snoop Doggy Dog and Ice-T, Dance music like the repetitive bass-lines and drum beats with club culture, DJs elevated to the status of pop stars, Take That, Spice Girls, Shabba Ranks, Independence Liam Gallagher of Oasis, Rise of ragga, The invasion of Brit Pop, Grunge was Nirvana, Female artists top the charts was Björk and more.
1996:Evil visits School, Life on Mars, Taliban take Afghan capital, Wallace and Gromit have the Oscar-winning british animator, Rwandans flee ethnic war, Miss-take? was Irene Skliva was crowned Miss World, Serbs protest at fixed elections in Belgrade, The Band R.E.M. sign a 50 dollars million contract with Sony, The Boondocks debuts, Pokemon debuts, 2099: World of Tomorrow, Alpha (Lombard), Amalgam Comics, Aphrodite IX, Askani'son, Atomic Chili, Aztek (character), Berlin (comics), Big Bang Comics, Big Book of Little Criminals, The Black Lamb, Black Light (2000 AD), The Black Pearl (comics), Bloodpool (comics), Bloody Mary (Helix), Box Office Poison, Buckles (comics), Castle Waiting, A Couple of Guys, Curse of the Spawn, Cyberella, Dallas Barr, Darkchylde, The Darkness (character), Death: The Time of Your Life, Destiny: A Chronicle of Deaths Foretold, Dhampire: Stillborn, The Dreaming (comics), Dv8, Epileptic (comics), Fatale (Broadway Comics), The Final Night, Fire from Heaven (comics), The Foot Soldiers, Frank (comics), Frumpy the Clown, The Further Adventures of Cyclops and Phoenix, Gemini Blood, Ghost/Hellboy, Girl (Vertigo), Grease Monkey, Hitman (DC Comics), House of Secrets (Vertigo), The Inspectre, Jeż Jerzy, JLA (comic book), Journey into Mystery, Katmandu (comics), Keyhole (comics), Kingdom Come (comics), Kingdom of the WickedLeave It to Chance, Mazeworld, Night Force, The Norm (comic strip), PKNA, Rise of Apocalypse, Scare Tactics (comics), Le Scorpion ,Sergio Aragonés Destroys DC, Sha (comics), Showcase (comics), Sonambulo, Terminal City, That Yellow Bastard, The Crow, Twisted ToyFare Theatre, Ultimate Warrior (comics), Venerdì 12, Vermillion (Helix), Hellboy: Wake the Devil, Weapons of the Gods (comics), Weird Mystery Tales, Weirdoverse, Whom Gods Destroy (comics), Wise Son: The White Wolf, Wynonna Earp, X-Men: Search for Cyclops, X-Nation 2099, Xavier's Security Enforcers, Nintendo 64 launches, Game Boy Pocket launches, Independence Day, Twister, Mission: Impossible, The Nutty Professor, Jerry Maguire, Inspector Gadget´s Field Trip debuts, Arthur debuts, Hey, Arnold! debuts, Courage the Cowardly Dog debuts in World Premiere Toons, Fargo, Superman: The Animated Series, All Dogs Go to Heaven 2, All Dogs Go to Heaven: the TV Series, The Hunchback of Notre Dame from Disney, Space Jam from Warner Bros, Beavis and Butt-Head Do America, Danger Mouse´s 15th Anniversary, Timmy Brisby´s best friend was Martin Brisby celebrating his 70th Anniversary, Quack Pack debuts, Road Rovers debuts, The Mighty Ducks debuts, Kablam! debuts, Futbol en Accion´s 15th Anniversary, Muppets Tonight, Muppet Treasure Hunt, James and the Giant Peach, Crash Bandicoot, Bruno the Kid, Pajama Sam debuts, Malcolm & Eddie, Spin City, 7th Heaven, Waynehead, Beast Wars: Transformers, Stickin´Around, The Newsroom, It´s A Mystery!, The Adam and Joe Show, Romuald the Reindeer, El super, Fetiche, Les Magilletres debuts, The Tamil Tigers, who are fighting for a separate Tamil state within Sri Lanka, bomb the capital., The 17-month-old IRA ceasefire comes to an end when a massive bomb explodes in London's Docklands in the UK, After four decades of one party rule, Lee Teng-Hui scores a victory in Taiwan's first democratic presidential elections., Lone gunman Martin Bryant is arrested after massacring at least 34 people at Port Arthur on the Australian island of Tasmania., Keiki, the whale star of US film Free Willy, may be released into the wild., World chess champion Gary Kasparov beats the top chess computer Deep Blue in the USA, Michael Jackson's performance at the UK's Brit

Awards is disrupted by Jarvis Cocker of pop group Pulp, Germany beats the Czech Republic with a "golden goal" in extra time to win the European Cup, held in the UK., A $442 million US satellite breaks away from a shuttle and is lost., In Scotland scientists announce that they have just succeeded in cloning two sheep., At Stonehenge, UK, carbon-dating of bone suggest that the monument may be older than previously thought., The World Health Organization (WHO) announces the invention of a birth-control injection for men., In the second round of voting Boris Yeltsin is re-elected president of Russia despite continuing ill health., A Boeing 747 jumbo jet, TWA Flight 800, explodes shortly after take-off from New York, USA, killing 228 people., US ambassador to the United Nations Madeleine Albright becomes the first woman US secretary of state., Several hundred people are taken hostage by a Marxist group at the Japanese embassy in Lima, Peru., Cinema audiences in the USA flock to see Independence Day which opens, appropriately, on 4 July., Eleven thousand athletes from 197 nations take part in the 1996 Atlanta Olympic Games in Atlanta, Georgia, USA, An exact replica of Shakespeare's Globe Theatre is opened on the site of the original in London, UK, All-female UK group the Spice Girls are the latest pop sensation, topping charts worldwide., French marine biologists find the remains of Alexandria which sank beneath the Mediterranean in AD 335., The Global Surveyor spacecraft sets off from Cape Canaveral, USA, on a mission to the planet Mars., The Russian Mars-96 spacecraft falls back to Earth after two days in space, crashing in the Pacific ocean., A US satellite finds evidence of a frozen lake in a crater on the dark side of the Moon and more.
EXPLORING SPACE: A man on Mars?, VentureStar, MIR Space Station, Spacelab, Lonely explorers, Is there anybody there?, Galileo Space Probe, The Hubble Telescope, The view from Hubble, Moon base 2050, Rosey and Buddy 2: Return to Cartoonland and more.
1997: Dolly the cloned sheep, Virtual pets are Japanese electronic pets, Tiger earns his golfing stripes was Tiger Woods makes a master strake at the US Masters golf tournament, Hong Kong handover, Space rescue operation is Mir, Diana is dead, A nation mourns it´s princess Diana, State funeral for Mother Teresa in India, The Spice Girls, Indonesian fires still burning by The US Air Force, 2020 Visions, Amnesia (1997 comic), Anarky (comic book), Ascension (comics), Bad Boy (comics), The Big Book of the Unexplained, The Blood-Clot Boy, The Books of Faerie, BrainBanx, Challengers of the Unknown (alternate series), Cheollang Yeoljeon, Cigarman, Crazy for Daisy, The Creech, Crew (comics), Deadpool, Desperadoes (comics), The Dinette Set, Divine Right: The Adventures of Max Faraday, Doctor Tomorrow, Dogbreath, F.C. De Kampioenen (comic), Family Values (comics), Fun Size Comics, Genesis (DC Comics), Girls & Sports, Hawk and Dove, Heartland (comics), Hellboy Christmas Special, Hellboy Junior, Hello Jadoo, Heroes Reborn (1996 comic), I Was a Teenage Tax Consultant, Jak and Todd, JLA – Paradise Lost, Judgment Day (Awesome Comics), Justice Riders, The Kents, Kiss: Psycho Circus, Knuckles the Echidna (comics), Kronblom, Liberty Meadows, Livewire (DC Comics), Major Bummer, Meg!, Michael Moorcock's Multiverse, Mister Blank, Murena (comic book), Nemi (comic strip), Nikolai Dante ,Pääkaupunki ,Painkiller Jane, Piled Higher and Deeper, The Positives, Predator vs. Judge Dredd, Quantum and Woody, The Queen's Knight, Quicken Forbidden, Red Rocket 7, Resurrection Man (character), Richard's Poor Almanac, Ricky Rapper, Roy of the Rovers, Section 8 (comics), Squee!, Star Crossed (comics), Starship Troopers (comics), Suburban Satanists, Tango (comics), The Crow, Thunderbolts (comics), Tim Traveller, Time Breakers, Tiny Sepuku, Transmetropolitan, Uncle Sam (Vertigo), Unknown Soldier (DC Comics), Valkyrie (Marvel Comics), Viivi & Wagner, Violent Messiahs, The Waiting Place, Warhammer 40,000 comics, Weird War Tales, Wildcore, Witch World (comics), X-O Manowar, Young Heroes in Love, Zits (comics), Titanic, The Lost World: Jurassic Park, Men in Black, Tomorrow Never Dies, The Full Monty, L.A. Confidential, Space Jam wents to worldwide, Frederator Studios launches, King of the Hill debuts, Daria debuts, Spy Fox debuts, Cats Don´t Dance, A Wallaby in New York, Count Duckula have a sequel was Count Duckula 2, Dogtanian (D´Artacan) have a sequel was Dogtanian 3 (D´Artacan 3) likes The Count of Montecristo and Twenty Years After, Willy Fog have a sequel was Willy Fog 3 likes Miguel Strogoff and Five Weeks in a Balloon, Foxbusters debuts, The Untouchables of Eliott Mouse (Los Intocables de Eliott Mouse) debuts, The New World of the Gnomes (El Nuevo Mundo de Los Gnomos) debuts, The Angry Beavers debuts, Hercules from Walt Disney, I Am Weasel debuts, South Park debuts, Noah´s Island debuts, Jimmy the Little Puppy´s 15th Anniversary and having a sequel was Jimmy the Little Puppy 2: All Grown-Up, Babes in Toyland (1997 movie), Space Goofs debuts, Ned´s Newt debuts,Timmy Brisby´s world 1st direct-to-video animated film was Timmy Brisby in Jokingland, Timmy Brisby: Lost in Time, Anastasia from Don Bluth, Inspector Gadget pilot´s 15th Anniversary, Pokemon into a TV show, BraveStarr´s 10th Anniversary, Noah´s Island, The Ugly Duckling (El Patito Feo) (Neptuno Films), The Wacky World of Tex Avery, Pepper-Ann debuts, Star Fox 64, Teletubbies debuts, The Practice, Buffy the Vampire Slayer, Stargate SG-1, Ally McBeal, Le Femme Nikita, Pippi Longstocking (Nelvana) (Movie and TV), Freaky Stories, The Wild House debuts, Kipper debuts, Captain Star debuts, Harry Hill debuts, Loggerheads debuts, Recess debuts, Tabaluga debuts, Al salir de clase debuts, Calle nueva debuts, Saber y ganar debuts, Via Digital launches, Canal

Satelite Digital launches, Tombola debuts, Malalts de tele debuts, Canal Nou 2 launches, Isla Magica launches, William Jefferson Clinton, aged 50. is inaugurated to a second term as President of the United States., Chinese Supreme Leader Deng Xiaoping dies aged 92. A six-day period of mourning is declared in China., A US civil jury orders OJ Simpson to pay $33.5 million in damages to the families of his murdered wife and friend, In Lima, Peru, 71 hostages are released after being held for four months by the Tupac Amaru Revolutionary Movement., Steve Fosset lands in India he flew 15,566km (9,672 miles) from the US in a hot air balloon., Debbie Rowe gives birth to superstar singer Michael Jackson's baby son in Los Angeles, USA., UK film, The English Patient, wins nine Oscars at the US Academy Awards., In the UK, ex-Beatle Paul McCartney receives a knighthood from the Queen., Communist North Korea opens an official home page on the World Wide Web., US astronauts Mark Lee and Steven Smith carry out improvements to the orbiting Hubble space telescope., Comet Hale Bopp is now at its brightest and is clearly visible to the naked eye at dawn and dusk., The ashes of Star Trek creator Gene Roddenberry are launched into space., In the UK, the Labour Party wins an overwhelming victory in the General Election after 18 years of Conservative Party rule., Lionel Jospin becomes France's new prime minister after a Socialist-led coalition wins parliamentary elections., Britain announces an evacuation plan for its protectorate, Montserrat, in the Caribbean after a devastating volcanic eruption., Jeanne Louise Calment, believed to be the world's oldest person, dies at the age of 122 in Arles, France., Australian long-distance swimmer Susie Maroney swims 180km (112 miles) from Cuba to the USA in 24hrs 31mins., In the UK, 16-year-old Swiss Martina Hingis is the youngest women's Wimbledon tennis champion since 1887., Italian fashion designer Gianni Versace is shot dead at his home in Miami, USA., Be Here Now by Oasis becomes the fastestselling album in UK history, In New York, USA, IBM'S Deep Blue computer beats Russian chess grandmaster Gary Kasparov., In the USA, the Ford Motor Company announced the production of 250.000 alternative fuel vehicles by 2001., US Pathfinder spacecraft starts sending back pictures and data from the surface of Mars., Zeta II. a battery-powered booster for bicycles, is launched by British inventor Clive Sinclair, In the USA, a judge overturns British au pair girl Louise Woodward's life sentence for murdering baby Matthew Eappen., South African president Nelson Mandela steps down as leader of the ANC. He is replaced by Thabo Mbeki., In Norway, 89 countries approve a OCT Chinese president Jiang Zemin meets US treaty to ban landmines., The USA, president Bill Clinton in Washington, USA, in Russia, China, and India did not sign. the first US-China summit since 1989., In the UK, Elton John's tribute song to Princess Diana was Candle in the Wind to sells 600,000 copies in one day, in Spain, racing driver Jacques Villeneuve is the first Canadian win the Formula One Championship, US folk singer John Denver dies, aged 53, when his plane crashes in California, USA, In the UK, pop group the Spice Girls meet Princes William and Harry at the Spiceworld film premiere., US space shuttle Atlantis collects astronaut Michael Foale after a four-month stay on May., In Bilbao, Spain, the futuristic Guggenheim Museum designed by US architect Frank Geary is opened., Britain's supersonic Thrust car breaks the world land speed record in Nevada, USA, with a speed of 1220,856km/h, At the UN Global Warming Conference in Kyoto, Japan, 150 nations agree to reduce emissions of greenhouse gases and more. 1998:Peace for Northern Irish was The Unionists, Nuclear tests in Pakistan, The 1998 France World Cup victors, The New Beetle, Ozy and Millie debuts, Penny Arcade (webcomic) debuts, 300 (comics), A-Next, Age of Bronze (comics), Battle Chasers, Black Panther (comic book), BONZZO (comic strip), Chasing Dogma, Chelsea Boys, Clan Apis, Crimson (comic book), Danger Girl, Daredevil (Marvel Comics character), David Boring, Dead Corps, The Dome: Ground Zero, Dungeon (comics), Elseworld's Finest: Supergirl & Batgirl, Faeries' Landing, Far West (comics), Fathom (comics), Gear (Image Comics), Gen12, Ghost (Dark Horse Comics) ,Guardian Devil, Hardcore Station, Heart of the City (comic strip),, Inhumans, Jack's Luck Runs Out, JLA: The Nail series, Jonny Double (Vertigo), The Killer (comics), The Kingdom (comics), Kyle's Bed & Breakfast, Lenore, the Cute Little Dead Girl, Loose Parts, Macho ya Mji, Moon Knight, El Muerto, Neil Gaiman's Only the End of the World Again, Nevada (comics), Nodwick, The Other Side of the Mirror (manhua), Owen Goal, Pantheon (Lone Star Press), Planetary (comics), Priest (manhwa), Quantum Mistake, The Rampaging Hulk, Rebirth (manhwa), Road to Perdition (comics), Rocky (comic strip), Sancho Panzer, Sheva's War, Slingers (Marvel Comics), Stupid, Stupid Rat Tails, The Technopriests ,Technotise, The Crow, The Gathering of Five and The Final Chapter, The Punisher (1998 series), Torso (Image Comics), The Trumpets They Play!, Union Jack (Joseph Chapman),Wake (comics), Warhammer Monthly, Whiteout (Oni Press), Why I Hate Saturn, Titanic wins 11 Oscars Awards and wents to Worldwide, Armageddon, Saving Private Ryan, Godzilla, Deep Impact, Dr. Dolittle, Lethal Weapon 4, There´s Something About Mary, Cowboy Bebop debuts, Yu-Gi-Oh! debuts, Quest for Camelot from Warner Bros, Bob and Margaret debuts, Mulan from Walt Disney, The Fairly OddParents debuts, The Wild Thornberrys debuts, ChalkZone debuts, Oggy and the Cockroaches debuts, Cousin Skeeter debuts, Histeria! debuts, Antz, A Bug´s Life, Count Duckula´s 10th Anniversary, Willy Fog´s 15th Anniversary, Inspector Gadget´s 15th Anniversary, The Rugrats Movie, The Prince of Egypt, Fat Dog Mendoza debuts, Bob the Builder debuts, Archibald the Koala debuts,

Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer: The Movie, An All Dogs Christmas Carol, Jimmy the Little Puppy: The TV Series, Jimmy the Little Puppy 3: A Summer Adventure, An American Tail 3: The Treasure of Manhattan Island, Toonsylvania debuts, Mad Jack the Pirate debuts, The Lionhearts debuts, Tom Sawyer the Cat and The Swiss Family Robinson the Wolves are both in development production order, Timmy Brisby In Down Under, Rocky and the Dodos debuts, Football Stories (Historias de Futbol) debuts, Catdog debuts, Dawson´s Creek, That´70s Show, Dumb Bunnies debuts, Digimon debuts, Jimmy Neutron debuts, The Mighty Kong, The Toothbrush Family debuts, Manos a la obra debuts, Tio Willy debuts, BBC Choice launches, Canal 2 Andalucia launches, Schloss Einstein, Renaade debuts, Futurama´s creation, Garfield´s 20th Anniversary, Watership Down (movie)´s 20th anniversary, Jenny Wakeman´s creation, Expo´98 the 1998 World Fair opens in Lisbon, Portugal, Animaniacs´s 5th Anniversary, Fauna Fox debuts, Game Boy Color launches, Spyro the Dragon, Windows 98, As crisis mounts in the 'Tiger' economies of Southeast Asia, Japan unveils a package of measures to stimulate its economy., Pol Pot, notorious Khmer Rouge leader responsible for millions of deaths in the "Killing Fields' of Cambodia, dies aged 72., Thousands of people are killed or left homeless as Hurricane Mitch leaves a trail of destruction across Central America., US president Bill Clinton faces impeachment over his affair with White House intern Monica Lewinsky., At the 18th Winter Olympics, snowboarding is introduced as a medal sport., US singer Frank Sinatra, one of the world's most popular entertainers, dies in Los Angeles, USA, aged 82., The Royal Opera House in London, UK, shuts for a year as its financial crisis mounts., Australian ski-trekkers Treseder, Williams, and Brown reach the South Pole., Czech archaeologists open an Ancient Egyptian tomb dating from 525 BC., New Hong Kong airport, designed by Briton Norman Foster, suffers teething trouble, At 77, US astronaut John Glenn becomes the oldest man to travel in space and more.

& 1999:Fuel of the future was the Site of Cern, Hurricane Floyd, Columbine High School massacre, The Euro Currency created, The Napster is released, Bill Clinton is acquitted, Pakistan and India are fighting over Kashmir, East Timor is Independence Referendum, Democracy restored to Indonesia, Ford Acquires Volvo, Turkey Earthquakes, Ethnic. Cleansing of Kosovo Albanians, Northern Ireland´s new multi party, European Union bans Beef Imports, World population surpassed six billion, Dow Jones Industrial Average closes above 11,000 for the first, Mexico floods, Helen Clark is elected, Yugoslavia crimes against humanity, Lance Armstrong wins in Tour de France, Greece earthquake, Central Taiwan earthquake, Jack Kervorkian, UK Minimum Hourly Wage £3.60 an hour, Bertrand Piccard and Brian Jones, U.S. tornado, U.S. Gun Control Bill Rejected, Brazil Power Outage, Ladbroke Grove rail crash, Earthquake and Tsunami in Vanuatu, Russia offensive on Chechnya using Missile Attacks, Australian voters decided to keep the queen and not become a republic, The Millennium Dome opens in London, The Geneva Convention celebrations for 50th Anniversary, Walmart continues it's world wide expansion plans when it buys the UK supermarket chain ASDA, The West Nile Virus first appears in the United States, Torrential rains caused catastrophic floods and mudslides in the coastal regions of Venezuela, killing an estimated 25,000 people and leaving 100,000 others homeless., Boris Yeltsin resigns as President of Russia, replaced by Vladimir Putin, Dr. Jack Kevorkian, was found guilty of second-degree murder for for giving a lethal injection in a case of voluntary euthanasia, Severe blizzards take place in the Midwestern United States affecting Wisconsin and Illinois, Impeachment Proceedings are bought against President Bill Clinton Edward, Prince Edward marries commoner Sophie Rhys-Jones on June 19th at St. George's Chapel, Windsor., The Queen opens the first Scottish Parliament in 300 years, Osama bin Laden sets his Al-Qaeda terrorist base in Afghanistan (he is on the FBI's Most wanted List) following involvment in American embassey bombings in Africa, U.S. women's soccer team wins the FIFA Women's World Cup champions, Total Eclipse Of The Sun Is Seen In cities of Europe and Asia, Deadly Train Crash in India leaves over 500 dead, Two trains collide near Paddington Station at the height of the morning rush hour., The Liberty Bell space capsule recovered in Florida during an expedition sponsored by the Discovery Channel., Start of Millennium celebrations in worldwide continents and countries, Ty Warner toys announces a small pint-sized black bear, called 'The End' on their web site which is to signify the end of Beanie Babies., Internet Explorer version 5 released, The "Melissa" e-mail virus, infects more than 1 million computers worldwide causing more than $80 million in damage, clogging up E-Mail Systems around the world, Mars Climate Orbiter reaches Mars but due to software error taking spaceship to close to surface is destroyed by atmospheric stresses and friction, The US successfully tests a new anti intercontinental missile defense system, The year 2000 problem known as the Y2K problem and the millennium bug was the most important thing on most companies minds in 1999. Critical industries (such as electricity or financial) and government functions could stop working at

12:00 AM, January 1st , 2000. This fear was fueled by the press coverage and other media speculation, as well as corporate and government reports. All over the world companies and organizations checked and upgraded their computer systems until 2001 and beyond in the future., My Space was officially introduced to the Internet, Bluetooth announced., The initial release of Napster, The genetic code that comprise the euchromatic portion of human chromosome 22 is released into the public domain for the good of mankind., The League of Extraordinary Gentlemen debuts, Twipsy debuts, Real Life, Demonology 101, Corrector Yui debuts, Fruits Basket debuts, 100 Bullets, The Adventures of Barry Ween, Boy Genius, Agnes (comic strip), Ariol ,Astonishing X-Men, Bad Boy (comics), Batman/Hellboy/Starman, Batman: Anarky, Batman: Crimson Mist, Batman/Tarzan: Claws of the Cat-woman ,Birds of Prey (team), Body Doubles ,The Brave and the Bold, Captain Euro, Chronicles of the Cursed Sword, Congorilla, Cruel and Unusual (comics), Batman: Dark Victory, Day of Judgment (comics), Deathlok, Earth X, Elseworlds 80-Page Giant, Finals (comics), Fisher (comics), Flashpoint (Elseworlds), Flinch (comics), Fortune and Glory, Franky Snow, Gemma Bovery, Get Fuzzy, Glimmer Rats, The Goon, Gravel (comics), Heart of Empire, Heavy Liquid (comics), Hell and Back (comics), Hellboy Junior, Human Target (Vertigo), I Feel Sick, IR$, JLApe: Gorilla Warfare!, JSA (comic book), Letitia Lerner, Superman's Babysitter, Little Red Hot, Lola (comic strip), Louis Riel (comics), M. Rex, MensuHell, Neil Gaiman's Midnight Days, MM Mickey Mouse Mystery Magazine, Moon Knight, New Warriors, Nightfall: The Black Chronicles, The Nine Rings of Wu-Tang, Oddjob (comics), Peter Parker: Spider-Man, Promethea, Proposition Player, Pussyfoot 5, Razorjack, The Red Star, Rising Stars (comics), Roadkill Bill, Sam and Twitch, Scene of the Crime (comics), Scribbly, Secret Asian Man, Sheldon (webcomic), Shortcuts (comics), Snow Drop (manhwa), Son of Superman, Spider-Woman, SpyBoy, Star Wars (UK comics), Stars and S.T.R.I.P.E., Strange Adventures, Tom Strong, Superman vs. The Terminator: Death to the Future, Tellos, Terminator: The Dark Years, The Authority (comics), The Crow, The Superman Monster, The Terminator: The Dark Years,Threads of Time, Tomorrow Stories, Toos & Henk, Top 10 (comics), The Trenchcoat Brigade, Vader's Quest, Victorian (comics), Whiteout: Melt, The Witching Hour (DC Comics), X-Men: Children of the Atom (comics), X-Men: The Hidden Years, Star Wars: Episode I – The Phantom Menace, The Matrix, The Sixth Sense, The Mummy, Notting Hill, The World Is Not Enough, American Beauty, Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me, Muppets from Space, The Adventures of Elmo in Grouchland, The King and I from Warner Bros is released, Tarzan and Fantasia 2000 from Walt Disney are both released, The Adventures of Elmo in Grouchland, Sesame Street 30th Anniversary, Toy Story 2, Bugs Bunny and Timmy Brisby are both preparing for the new millenniums celebrations was Mill-Looney-Um and Mill-NIMH-Um (Timmy Brisby franchise), Ed, Edd and Eddy are both debuts, Family Guy debuts, Jenny Wakeman debuts, Futurama debuts, SpongeBob Squarepants debuts, Batman Beyond debuts, Noggin debuts, South Park: Bigger, Longer and Uncut debuts, Bugs Bunny: Lost In Time, Timmy Brisby and the Lost City, Mickey Mouse Works, Detention!, Zeke the Fox Pup returns in the Season 2 of Jimmy the Little Puppy: The TV Series, The Iron Giant debuts, Dragon Tales debuts, Happy Tree Friends debuts, Watership Down (TV Series), Tom Sawyer the Cat and The Swiss Family Robinson the Wolves are in pre-productions, Doug´s 1st Movie, The Rugrats Movie wents to worldwide, Wakko´s Wish, Manuelita debuts, The Nuttiest Nutcracker, All About My Mother (Todo Sobre mi Madre), The New Woody Woodpecker Show, Mega Babies debuts, The PJs, Home Movies, Rotten Ralph, Rocket Power debuts, Mike, Lu and Og debuts, The Brothers Flub debuts, L.A. Heat, WWF SmackDown!, Anthony Ant debuts, Little Men debuts, Total Recall 2070, Pit Pony debuts, Dooley Gardens debuts, Redwall debuts, Yvon of the Yukon debuts, RedeTV! Debuts, Wizzy and Woppy debuts, Tweenies debuts, Smart on the Road debuts, Miami 7 debuts, Angelmouse debuts, More Cosgrove Hall Films and BRB Internacional Adventures with Danger Mouse, Dogtanian (D´Artacan, Count Duckula, Willy Fog and more) debuts, Foxbusters debuts and premieres, Mopatop´s Shop debuts, Blackadder. Back and Forth debuts, Spaced, Sky MovieMax is launched, Walking with Dinosaurs, TCM Movies, Pablo the Little Red Fox debuts, Maisy debuts, Sherlock Holmes in the 22nd Century debuts, Les Monos debuts, Big Brother debuts, Inspector Gadget (movie), Digimon into a TV show, Simsala Grimm debuts, Fantaghiró debuts, Yolanda, la hija del Corsario Negro debuts, Television Canaria launches, 7 Vidas debuts, Trilocos debuts, TPH Club debuts, Ada Madrina debuts, Como la vida debuts, Desesperado Club Social debuts, El club de la comedia debuts, El Comisario debuts, Noche de Fiesta debuts, Puerta con la Puerta debuts, Zap… Zap… Zapping debuts, La Melevisione debuts, Finalmente soli debuts, RTE News Online ins launched,

TV You is launched, Curto Circuito debuts, Clube dos Campeoes debuts, A Lenda da Garca debuts, Zip Zap debuts, Starship Troopers debuts, Sevilla 1999 the World Championships Athlethics, Super Smash Bros debuts, Donkey Kong 64, Asterix´s 40th Anniversary, Quick Draw McGraw, Snooper and Blabber, Augie Doggie and Doggie Daddy and Loopy De Loop´s 40th Anniversaries, Wile E. Coyote and The Road Runner and Poussy the Cat´s 50th Anniversaries, Sniffles the Mouse and Gulliver´s Travels´s 60th Anniversaries (1939-1999), The Tazmanian Devil´s 45th Anniversary, Tintin, Popeye and Bosko´s 70th Anniversaries (1929-1999), More Tiny Toon and Animaniacs Adventures is released, Nasa´s Lunar Projector and more.

A NEW 21st CENTURY AND NEW MILLENNIUM TOO IN THE FUTURE:

2000: First dawn of the new millennium is in the antarctic, a 24-hour Party is held in New York, USA., The UK builds a giant celebratory dome, Catholics celebrate the millennium in the vatican city, Artists decorate the avenues in Paris, France, Australia stages the Summer Olympics, Aerodynamic hotel, It´s a wind-up was clockwork radio, Airport on a island, Under construction, All-in-one was Bangkok Elevated Road and Train System, Eastern promise, New Space Age was International Space Station, Car date 2096 and more.

LIFE IN THE 21st CENTURY IN THE FUTURE:

Computer companions was Electronic pets, Videophones for 2020, Robot servants?, Internet shopping with e-commerce, shops, supermarkets and more was home computer, Friend detectors was hot badges, Health scanner, Tiny translators, Easy living house, 2001: Common use of solar energy for domestic power and Full personal medical records stored on smart cards, 2007: Whole human DNA base sequence mapped, 2020: Self-drive cars travel smart highways, 2025: New forms of genetically engineered animals and plants, Extension of human lifespan to over 100 and more.